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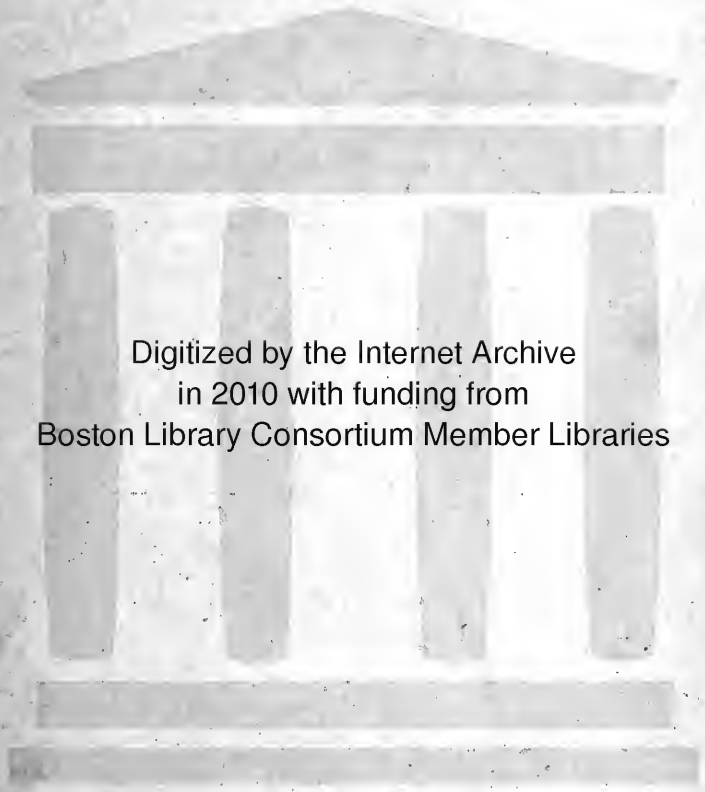
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OF
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To His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

In accordance with section 13, chapter 604, Acts of 1908, I submit the annual report of this department for the year ending December 31, 1914. Included are the reports of the heads of departments and staff corps, commanding officers and military boards.

In addition, this report is brought up to date of issue for the reason that much of the data necessary to complete it is obtainable only after the 1st of January.

Appended is the report of the State Armory Commission of which The Adjutant General is chairman.

FINANCIAL.

The cost of maintenance of the military and naval departments from State funds for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1914, was \$586,655.33, — an increase over 1913 of \$14,043.58. This increase is accounted for by the extraordinary expense incurred at the Salem fire, amounting to \$26,363.32. Aside from this extraordinary expense the expenditures for 1914 show a decrease over 1913 of \$12,319.74.

The amount expended from United States funds, War Department, for 1914 was \$178,903.26 allotted and \$65,516.11 unallotted; Navy Department, \$5,983.09, making a grand total expenditure from all sources of \$837,057.79.

Balance to credit of Massachusetts December 31, 1914, from United States funds (under section 1661, Revised Statutes, and the act of May 27, 1908) was \$161,591.65.

Balance to credit of Massachusetts December 31, 1914,

from United States funds for arming, equipping and maintaining the Naval Militia was \$4,680.91.

There still remain unpaid bills incurred at the Salem fire amounting to \$5,251.50.

For further detailed information, see financial statement attached.

ADMINISTRATION.

The system of accounting in the office is being changed to conform to modern methods. General Orders are now being issued under a comprehensive system of standardization. The Regulations, both military and naval, are being revised and will shortly be ready for issue. Blank forms are being changed to conform to those of the War and Navy departments. The office force has been reorganized and placed upon a more efficient basis. The budget system has been adopted, and estimates showing complete details for the 1915 appropriation submitted. The military and naval departments have been completely separated.

ARMORIES.

The armories at Adams, Clinton and Fitchburg have been completed and dedicated. The addition to the Springfield Armory was authorized and is nearly completed. The armory for the mounted organizations in Boston is well under way; the cavalry stable will be finished by May, 1915, and the whole building will be completed before 1916. The contract for the erection of the Concord Armory has been let and work started. This completes State armories for all organizations except the Boston companies of the Naval Brigade, Company G, Fifth Infantry, at Woburn, and the Ninth Company, Coast Artillery Corps, at Taunton.

I would recommend that armories be built this year as follows:—

Naval Brigade at Boston.

Company G, Fifth Infantry, at Woburn.

Ninth Company, Coast Artillery Corps, at Taunton.

Boathouses for the Naval Militia at Fall River, Lynn and New Bedford.

Because of lack of room, both for personnel and for storage of material, I would recommend an addition to the State Armory at Cambridge.

For further detailed information, see report of Armory Commission attached.

CIVIL SERVICE FOR MILITIAMEN.

Attention is directed to the fact that, by agreement with the Civil Service Commission, allowance for service in the militia will be made on certain examinations.

IN GENERAL.

The total enrolled militia in the State is 586,543. Of this number, 6,579, or about 1 per cent., compose the organized militia, military and naval. This is not a creditable exhibition for the great Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Even in 1860, when the enrolled militia of the State was only 155,389, the number of the organized militia was 5,593, or 3.6 per cent., nearly four times as many proportionately as to-day.

Massachusetts stands twenty-second in the list of States, rated according to the proportion of the organized militia to enrolled militia.

This is the great weakness in the organized militia to-day, — lack of numbers. The citizens and business men of the State should make it their duty, not only to see that the militia is recruited to full strength, but that every unit should have a list of eligible young men waiting to muster. They should encourage their employees or their sons to go into the militia, not only from the standpoint of performing their share for national defense and for State service in case of great emergency, but from the standpoint of efficiency for their own interests and the business interests of the State as a whole.

The young man who spends three years in the militia has an opportunity to learn many things. He is taught, first, that before he can command others he must learn to control

himself. He is taught the benefit of team work, of organization, of discipline. He is taught military history and topography, sanitation and personal hygiene, — dependent upon the branch of the service in which he enlists; he is taught hippology, swimming, how to run an engine or a motor, how to telegraph, how to build bridges, how to operate wireless telegraph, seamanship and handling of small boats, and how to take care of sick and injured persons.

His teachers are not only our own experienced State officers, but, in addition, the United States Army and Navy officers and noncommissioned officers assigned to the State, — men who have specialized along instruction lines in their profession.

Business men, through their influence, can do a great deal towards the encouragement of recruiting. They should give a vacation of an extra week without loss of pay, covering the week spent in the tour of duty. There is no reason why 6,500 citizens of Massachusetts should perform their duty in the State military and naval service and 580,000 should not. But if these 6,500 do perform more than their share, it is only just that the others contribute as their part this week's vacation and the amount of money that the young men now sacrifice by their performance of military duty.

Recruiting should be kept up until all the infantry, cavalry and coast artillery companies in the State are built up to 100 men each, and the other branches to a corresponding strength. With the militia of that size it will then be ready to take its place in the first line of defense of the country, with three-quarters of its ranks filled with trained and disciplined men, needing the final necessary hardening which can only be obtained in the open life of camp or at sea.

The personnel of the militia was never higher than it is to-day. It is officered by studious, earnest, painstaking and hard-working men who have given up years of their lives for the service of their State, who spend many days and evenings upon the study of the military or naval profession and in imparting instruction to the men of their commands. The enlisted men are thoughtful, conscientious and patriotic,

spending their winter evenings studying, drilling and perfecting themselves in their work, and who, at summer tours, give their whole time to the serious business of a soldier's or a sailor's duties.

An annual tour of duty is no longer a week of roystering celebration like the muster field of the old days, but is a camp of instruction in military duties in every sense of the word.

For instance, at Lakeville last year 4,000 militiamen were on duty. They were under inspection and instruction by officers of the regular army, each of whom made a report to the War Department. With all of those soldiers together, drawn as they were from every walk of life, there was not a single case reported of the abuse of liquor in the camp.

NATIONAL DEFENSE.

As the principal duty of all organized militia to-day is to prepare themselves for the first line of the national defense, and as the United States government is a large contributor towards the maintenance of the militia, it may seem perfectly proper to devote a part of this report to the subject of national defense.

It is conceded by all persons at all familiar with the subject that the nation is in a woeful state of unpreparedness in case of an attack by a first or even a second class country. This unpreparedness applies particularly to the land forces. The regular army is deficient in numbers and auxiliary branches of the service. The militia is deficient, both in numbers and in practical efficiency. I mean by this that its efficiency could be brought to a far higher standard than it is at present.

It is not within the province of this report to dwell upon the deficiency in numbers of the regular army.

With respect to the deficiencies of the militia, which can be remedied by national legislation or by War Department action, it is my purpose to set them forth here.

A proper system that would provide for an efficient army of citizen soldiers of sufficient size would be, first, a Federal-

ized militia, — a National Guard in fact as well as in name; a militia raised, armed, organized, equipped and paid by the United States government instead of by the States, and subject to call by the President at any time or place.

When we have a Federal militia, and not till then, there should be enacted a Federal law by which a certain proportion of the citizens of the different States would be compelled to serve a certain length of time in the organized militia. This is the only true solution of the problem of national defense, for then every citizen would stand upon an equal footing with every other, and it would be no disadvantage to a man in business to be in the militia, as it is, perhaps, in some cases to-day. This compulsory service in the militia should be preceded by a course in high school of camp sanitation, personal hygiene, first aid to the injured and rifle shooting.

Switzerland and Australia have compulsory military systems along lines similar to this.

Sooner or later this country will realize that self-preservation makes it necessary to maintain a proper national defense. and the earlier it acts on that fact the quicker will the commerce of the United States cover the seas of the world.

THE MILITIA PAY BILL.

In the meantime, however, much can be done toward improving very quickly the efficiency of our present militia land forces by the immediate passage of Senate Bill No. 6217, now before the Senate.

This bill is indorsed by the Secretary of War, Chief of Staff, Chief, Division of Militia Affairs, the Army War College and the National Guard Association, which represents the organized militia. Its aim is to compensate the officers and men for the time and money now given up in the service of the different States. The passage of this bill would do more to increase the numbers and efficiency of the militia than any proposition that has ever been suggested in this country, except compulsory enlistment.

This has been demonstrated in the State of New York, where a war-strength company has been instructed, trained

and drilled and compensated for their work at the rate contemplated in this bill. The results there obtained have been truly remarkable.

I ask you to urge upon the congressmen from this State the passage of this bill. Its maximum cost, provided the troops of every State in the Union are properly trained and instructed so that they may receive compensation under this act, would mean a total cost to the country of about \$16,000,000. This would be a most economical investment for the United States to make. It would in a very short time give us 150,000 dependable, efficient soldiers ready to go on the firing line within two months of their being called out.

DETAIL OF REGULAR OFFICERS AND NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

One of the increasing troubles of the militia is the inability to hold efficient officers in the service of the State, owing to the demands upon their time, not of tactical or purely military work, but of ordinary routine administration work and care of property.

The War Department could relieve this trouble to a great extent, with respect to the land forces, by detailing officers and noncommissioned officers on permanent duty, as follows: to every regiment or separate battalion, upon request of its commanding officer, approved by the Governor, officers to act as adjutants and quartermasters, and a noncommissioned officer to act as quartermaster sergeant.

In case of war the Quartermaster Corps will be the weakest link in our military chain. A regular officer and noncommissioned officer for each militia organization would be of tremendous benefit to the country in case of war, besides relieving the organization commanders from a heavy strain in time of peace.

If this were done property could then be issued to regimental quartermasters, as is the case in the regular army; regimental depots could be established, thereby saving the extra expense of shipping to each company unit from South Framingham and back again whenever a change or transfer

of property takes place. Besides, it would be exercising a much better supervision over United States property, and I believe the expense would be more than taken care of by the money saved in prevention of property losses.

In addition to this there should be detailed a noncommissioned officer as quartermaster sergeant to every company of militia for the performance of clerical work and the care of property. This would relieve the company commander of routine work, and leave him free to do his share of tactical and administrative duties.

The sergeants now detailed to this State would, in my opinion, be of far greater value, both to the War Department and to the State, if they could be used for this purpose instead of limiting their duties to instruction alone.

Action along these lines has been taken to a limited extent by the Navy Department for the benefit of the Naval Militia. It should, however, be carried much farther, and, if done, will mean greater efficiency for the Naval Militia.

LACK OF HORSES.

Another serious weakness is the lack of horses for the enlisted personnel who are authorized to be mounted, and draft horses for the field artillery and transportation and combat trains.

Some system must be devised whereby the United States will furnish the necessary horses themselves or pay the cost of their use for military purposes. A specific recommendation for the registration of horses for military use in this State is made later in this report.

ADDITIONAL INSPECTOR-INSTRUCTORS.

While the War and Navy departments have been as liberal as the appropriations would allow in the matter of detailed inspector-instructors to this State, it is believed that there should be at least one inspector-instructor permanently assigned to duty for every battalion of infantry, coast artillery and Naval Militia.

NECESSITY OF AUXILIARY TROOPS.

In order to have a well-balanced military machine it is the desire of the War Department to organize twelve tactical divisions from the militia throughout the country. The division is the smallest unit which is completely organized and equipped in all branches of the service to properly take care of itself. Massachusetts is part of the fifth division. In this State there is an excess of infantry consisting of one regiment and two separate battalions. It is the earnest desire of the War Department that the excess infantry should be transferred into one regiment of field artillery, one pioneer battalion of engineers, two additional companies of coast artillery, one ambulance company and one field hospital.

On account of the added expense of the auxiliary branches, and to relieve the State of this burden, the War Department allots three times as much for an enlisted man of the field artillery, cavalry, signal corps and engineer corps, and twice as much for an enlisted man of the field hospital and ambulance company, as for an infantry or coast artillery man.

In this connection, the commanding officers of the infantry regiments, and particularly of the First and Second Corps Cadets, should give their serious consideration to the transfer of their respective organizations from infantry to one of the auxiliary branches of the service.

General Mills, Chief, Division of Militia Affairs, in his 1913 report, referring to the necessity for additional auxiliary troops, says: —

I earnestly invite the attention of the entire organized militia to this question, and I especially lay stress upon the forty-nine Adjutants General to realize the full measure of the responsibility that rests upon them. There is no more important subject treated of in this report, nor do I know of one the neglect of which is fraught with greater disaster to our very national safety.

EQUIPMENT.

The troops of this State are now armed, equipped and organized for field or sea service as prescribed by the United States, with the exception of a few officers whose status awaits the results of pending negotiations with the War Department.

There is no more efficient militia in the country, from the standpoint of practical service, than that of Massachusetts. "Success in battle as the ultimate object of all training" applies to the instruction and training followed in this State.

It is the intention to gradually increase the armament and equipment until there shall be in reserve at the State Arsenal enough to fully equip every organization at war strength.

SALEM FIRE.

On the 26th of June, 1914, fire broke out in the city of Salem, at 1.37 P.M. At 2.31 P.M. the mayor of Salem issued a precept to the Second Corps Cadets and Company H, Eighth Infantry, for duty in protecting property.

The Adjutant General arrived in Salem at 3.30 P.M., and realizing the size of the conflagration, by authority of the Commander-in-Chief, at 6 o'clock ordered on duty the balance of the Eighth Infantry, Company E, Naval Brigade, Fifth Company, Coast Artillery, companies A, C, D, E, I and L, Ninth Infantry, and detachments of officers and men from the First Corps Cadets and the sanitary troops; 20,000 rations, 1,500 cots, 1,500 tents and 1,500 blankets were ordered for relief purposes. The equipment, ordered at 7 o'clock from South Framingham, was sent by trolley, and began arriving at 10 o'clock that night.

At the time the rations were ordered the wholesale offices and stores throughout the State were closed, but through the courtesy of the commandant of the Charlestown Navy Yard, Capt. DeWitt Coffman, U. S. N., the State was able to obtain rations at once. His prompt action and cutting of red tape enabled the Commonwealth to have food enough ready for the refugees by 4 o'clock on the morning after the fire. I desire to express to Captain Coffman the appreciation and

thanks of the military department for what he did in this emergency.

I also desire to express thanks and appreciation to Mr. J. B. Blood of Lynn, who delivered a truck load of food to the armory before 12 o'clock the first night, and to the other citizens of the Commonwealth who rendered splendid assistance during this time of trouble.

Col. Frank A. Graves, commander of the Eighth Infantry, M. V. M., was assigned to command the troops; Brig. Gen. James G. White, in charge of the Commissary Department; Brig. Gen. William B. Emery, in charge of the Quartermaster Department; and Col. Frank P. Williams, Surgeon General, was in charge of the sanitary troops, under Colonel Graves.

During June 27 no refugee suffered for want of food, and before 10 o'clock that night tents enough were put up in five concentration camps to take care of all made homeless by the fire.

The troops were on duty at Salem from June 26 to July 7, inclusive; on June 30 the refugee camps were turned over to the Salem fire relief committee; on June 29 companies A, C, D, E, I and L, Ninth Infantry, returned to their home station; on June 30 Company E, Naval Brigade, and Company M, Eighth Infantry, were relieved. The balance of the troops were kept for police purposes in the city, detachments being relieved from time to time. The last troops left Salem on July 7.

This tour of duty was, in my opinion, as efficient a tour as was ever performed by the militia of Massachusetts. It was invaluable to the stricken people of Salem, and will prove of great benefit to the militia, in that it showed to the community that in time of great calamity and distress the militia is ready and organized at a moment's notice to perform such temporary duties as may be necessary until a proper civilian body can be organized.

Attention is called to the further fact that the mobilization of these troops, which was so quickly accomplished, was done, in practically every case, by the noncommissioned officers of

the different units, because of the fact that all the officers in the State were assembled at the camp of instruction, at West Newbury, Mass.

RIFLE PRACTICE.

During the past few years too much money has been spent by the State upon the State rifle team, to the detriment of the small-arms work throughout the militia as a whole. In 1913 more than \$10,000 was spent on the State team, while in 1914 less than \$3,000 was spent.

Notwithstanding the decreased cost, however, Massachusetts won first place in the 1914 divisional competition at Sea Girt, N. J.

It is the intention this year to do a great deal more work on indoor rifle practice. Every man should be taught how to shoot, handle and clean his rifle before going to the outdoor range. This would mean not only a saving of expense for ammunition, but a greater efficiency with the rifle on the outdoor range.

Upon the completion of the armories now in process of construction, or reconstruction, all the companies in the State will have indoor rifle ranges with the exception of the Boston divisions of the Naval Brigade, Company D, Fifth Infantry, and Company L, Sixth Infantry. It is hoped that these may be furnished before the year ends.

It is expected this year to establish rifle camps of instruction with transportation, pay and subsistence from United States funds. This seems to be the only practical way of accomplishing outdoor rifle work without a tremendous expenditure of time and energy. It also offers opportunities for field firing which cannot be obtained in any other way.

Massachusetts stands second in the list of States in percentage of qualifications with the rifle, namely, 87.02 per cent. of the total militia of the State shooting and 100 per cent. qualifying. Illinois was first, with 96.58 per cent. of the militia of that State shooting and 100 per cent. qualifying.

For further details, see report of Chief of Ordnance attached.

LEGISLATION PASSED IN 1914.

The following legislation was passed during 1914: —

Chapter 161. — An addition to the maximum enlisted strength of companies of such men as may be permanently detailed for other duty by the organization commander.

Chapter 196. — Allowing certain officers or enlisted men to operate cinematograph under certain conditions without a special license.

Chapter 342. — Providing for prizes for competitions in the militia.

Chapter 356. — Authorization of the city of Fall River to lease to the Commonwealth certain land for the erection of buildings for the use of the Naval Militia, under certain conditions.

Chapter 362. — Repealing the provisions that the regulations of the United States Navy should apply, when practicable, to the Naval Militia of the Commonwealth, and rectifying and confirming all orders issued, acts performed and payments made under the previous law.

Chapter 376. — Change in recruiting officers for the attached sanitary troops.

Chapter 380. — Compensation of members of the militia who are injured in the discharge of their duty at drills.

Chapter 460. — Change in the tenure of office of The Adjutant General.

Chapter 481. — Allowance for regimental headquarters armorer.

Chapter 715. — Appointment of chaplains without previous service.

Chapter 758. — Appropriation of \$10,000 for the maintenance of horses owned by organizations, entitled to be mounted, or by members thereof.

LAND FORCES.

Mutations.

During the year 63 officers have resigned, retired, died or been discharged, including all officers reported as physically

unfitted for field service, and 2,093 enlisted men have been discharged other than by reason of expiration of enlistment.

Number of officers and men on the rolls December 31, 1913, was 5,891, as compared with 5,940 on December 31, 1914, — a decrease of 6 officers and an increase of 55 enlisted men.

For further detailed information with regard to strength, organization and roster of officers, see Annual Roster issued from this office.

REORGANIZATION AND CHANGES OF PERSONNEL.

In accordance with tables of organization, organized militia, peace, 1914, the coast artillery was reorganized, decreasing the commissioned personnel by 1; the noncommissioned personnel by 17; and increasing the number of enlisted men per company from 63 to 75.

In accordance with the same authority the number of enlisted men in each company of the five infantry regiments was increased from 60 to 65, and provisional machine gun companies, by details from the different companies in each organization, were authorized, with an enlisted strength of 50.

Complete equipment for each machine gun company has been issued by the War Department without charge to the State.

It is the intention during the coming year to establish supply and headquarters companies in every infantry regiment, as prescribed by the Secretary of War.

INSPECTIONS.

Heretofore the State has not benefited to the fullest extent from the work done by the Inspector General's Department.

It is the present intention to establish closer relations between this office and that department, to the end that weaknesses and defects may be sooner remedied, and that recommendations, which make for improvement and efficiency, may be put in force.

The percentage of absentees from United States armory inspection in 1914 was 11.7 per cent., as against 12.6 per cent. in 1913. Massachusetts stands fourth among the States in attendance at these inspections.

Commendation.

The following companies are to be commended for having 100 per cent. attendance at armory inspection in 1914:—

United States.

Company G, Eighth Infantry.
Twelfth Company, Coast Artillery Corps.

State.

Company A, Fifth Infantry.
Company G, Sixth Infantry.
Company C, Ninth Infantry.
Company E, Ninth Infantry.
Company G, Ninth Infantry.
Fourth Company, Coast Artillery Corps.

The percentage of attendance in 1914 at armory inspection, United States, by organizations, was as follows:—

	Per Cent.
First Corps Cadets,	95.6
Company A, Signal Corps,	93.0
First Squadron Cavalry,	90.5
Sixth Infantry,	90.1
First Battalion, Field Artillery,	89.8
Fifth Infantry,	88.9
Ninth Infantry,	88.3
Coast Artillery Corps,	86.4
Eighth Infantry,	86.0
Second Corps Cadets,	84.6
Second Infantry,	84.0
Sanitary troops,	82.5

For further detailed information, see Inspector General's report attached.

Tours of Duty.

In this connection I believe it would make for greater efficiency and larger knowledge of a soldier's duty to have the annual tour of duty cover two weeks instead of one. I believe infantry camps should be held as follows:—

First Year. — Regimental camps of instruction with minor maneuvers.

Second Year. — Brigade camps of instruction in conjunction with the regular army, with three days of maneuvers.

Third Year. — Large maneuver camp in conjunction with the regular army.

In all camps of instruction and the large maneuver camps the proportion of regulars to militia should be at least one to two.

At the beginning of the year it was intended by the War Department to hold a large joint maneuver camp in New England of both regulars and militia. This plan was accepted by Massachusetts. Developments on the Mexican border, however, changed the plans, and therefore the camps were held as follows:—

Infantry.

First and Second Brigades. — Small joint maneuver camp of instruction at Lakeville, Mass., with Company B, Fifth United States Infantry. Col. Charles G. Morton, U. S. A., was camp commander.

For the first time since 1907 both brigades went into a permanent field camp. The reports of the commanding officers agree that this camp was beneficial from an instruction point of view. It lacked, however, practical experience in handling transportation, which the past has shown to be one of the chief weaknesses of the organized militia.

First Corps Cadets. — This organization went into camp at Hingham, and used their permanent mess building and kitchens. The camp was excellent from the standpoint of discipline and military courtesy, but gave no training to company officers in setting up and administering a field kitchen and the handling of field rations. While undoubtedly

of value, this style of camp gives no idea of service conditions.

Second Corps Cadets. — The organization went into a field camp on its own land at Boxford under the same conditions as the First and Second brigades. They are to be congratulated on getting away from the old-fashioned way of messing their men as in barracks and adopting the field kitchen instead. The experience should be very valuable to them.

First Squadron Cavalry.

The cavalry went into a joint camp of instruction at Pomfret, Conn., in conjunction with three troops of cavalry from Rhode Island, two troops from Connecticut and a squadron of cavalry from the regular army. The camp was under the command of Maj. Francis C. Marshall, Eleventh United States Cavalry.

This camp was highly successful and very instructive to all engaged in it. It was the best one ever participated in by the cavalry of this State. In this connection it is well to point out that the cavalry has improved more in the last five years than any other branch of the service.

First Battalion, Field Artillery.

The field artillery went into a field camp of instruction at West Barnstable.

The United States Army now has a plan whereby the field artillery of the organized militia can go to Tobyhanna, Pa., and there use the horses, guns and equipment of a regular battalion of field artillery, so that the work of instructing the men may be started immediately and no time be lost in training horses.

The field artillery should go to this camp in 1915.

Sanitary Troops.

Field Hospital, No. 1. — The tour of duty of Field Hospital No. 1 was in the form of a march from Boston to South Framingham and Weston and return, camping in Weston and

at Sprague's Corner. For the first time in this State a complete field hospital was set up.

Ambulance Company, No. 1. — The Ambulance Company performed its tour of duty at Lakeville, with the Second Brigade, going over the road to and from camp from Boston. For the first time in the State complete dressing stations were established. Next to the cavalry this unit has improved more in the last five years than any other in the State.

The sanitary units, at least every other year, should go into camp with some other branch of the service for mutual observation and instruction.

Attached Sanitary Troops.

There is still room for improvement in these troops. It has been demonstrated in the inspection of drills, tour of duty, and armory inspection, already held, that the present method of administration for the attached sanitary troops is not productive of good results.

It is believed that the matter of uniform, equipment and instruction of each attached unit should be wholly under the Surgeon General, he holding the senior attached medical officer responsible for the same.

Signal Corps.

Company A, Signal Corps, participated in the camp at Lakeville, Mass., with the Second Brigade, to their own great advantage and that of the other troops stationed with them.

Coast Artillery Corps.

The coast artillery, as usual, went into the forts in Boston Harbor. Unfortunately they were not allowed to fire the big guns, thereby losing a great deal of instruction in that line.

The matter of transportation of headquarters and company baggage should receive more consideration next year, with a view to cutting down the amount and securing uniformity among the different companies.

The camp attendance of this corps showed the biggest percentage of any organization in the State.

For further detailed information relating to tours of duty, see annual reports of commanding officers attached.

United States War Department.

The relations of Massachusetts with the Division of Militia Affairs, which represents the War Department, in dealing with the militia, are most harmonious, and the State is co-operating to the fullest extent with them.

United States Inspector-Instructors.

There are now on duty in this State nine United States inspector-instructors. They are efficient, hard-working and earnest men who are giving not only their time and ability but their enthusiasm for the benefit of the militia of this State.

United States Sergeant-Instructors.

Full use has not been obtained from the sergeant-instructors. Attention is directed to the following recommendation, contained in the report of the Division of Militia Affairs for 1913, as to how they should be used: —

Practical instructing of noncommissioned officers in the courtesies and customs of the service, drill of various kinds in the small units. preparation and handling of rations, camp expediency, care of the rifle and equipment, loading of wagons, elements of first aid, duties of the noncommissioned officers and specialists, preparation of the roster, morning reports and ration returns.

There are now on duty in the State sixteen sergeant-instructors.

Inspections.

I would recommend, for the better efficiency of the organized militia, that only one company a night be inspected by United States inspectors.

Instruction.

A broad and comprehensive plan of instruction has been started this year, comprising officers' schools, enlisted men's schools, armory instruction and outdoor instruction.

Officers' Schools.

Upon recommendation of a joint board, composed of United States and State officers, the method of a centralized Service School for officers, which has been in vogue for the past few years, has been abolished. The old method, while very excellent to begin with, has reached the limit of its usefulness.

Schools have been established by each brigade, regiment and separate organization under the direction of the commanding officers, who by the Regulations are responsible for the discipline and instruction of their organizations. Each commanding officer, in conjunction with the inspector-instructors of the regular army, arranged a program of instruction covering one year for the officers' school of his own organization. This represents the indoor work.

In outdoor work it is proposed this year to have a separate officers' camp of instruction for each branch of the service, with special instruction for departmental officers.

It is hoped shortly to establish an advanced school of the line for twenty-five or thirty selected officers of a grade not higher than captain, for the purpose of educating our State officers in the more advanced branches of the military art and in the duties of higher staff officers.

Enlisted Men's School.

Noncommissioned officers' schools were held under direction of the respective organization or company commanders during the winter months. Noncommissioned officers will be given an outdoor school in conjunction with the officers' camp of instruction.

Training School.

Massachusetts was the pioneer in establishing last year a training school for officers, — the first State in the Union, I believe, to do so. From the start it was successful. This year it has exceeded even the expectations of its best friends. The credit for its conception belongs to Maj. Gen. W. A. Pew, retired, and Lieut. Col. W. W. Stover, Fifth Infantry. The State is indebted to Capt. Merch B. Stewart, Fifth Infantry, U. S. A., as its directing head during the school's first year of existence. For further and detailed information, see report of the commandant attached.

Armory Instruction.

For instruction of company units in the armory, a theoretical and practical plan was laid out this year, covering all the fundamental principles of custom, law, drill and field service that a soldier should know. The subjects only were given, leaving to the individual company and organization commander to work out, in detail, the manner and method of imparting the instruction to the men of their commands. Final results will not be obtained until the end of the year.

From present information it is believed that most of the captains will be able to cover the ground, and that their experience and methods can be shown another year to such captains as this year were unable so to do.

Owing to the fact that there was no permanent inspector-instructor with the Coast Artillery Corps at the time, a definite course was not laid down, but the instruction was left to the commanding officer of that organization.

An inspector-instructor recently having been assigned to the Coast Artillery Corps, a definite plan will be followed by that organization for the balance of the year.

Outdoor Instruction.

It is the intention to have the troops go into camp for a Saturday and Sunday at least once by company and once by battalion, if practicable and funds are sufficient.

As far as is now known, the annual tour of camp duty for the infantry will be by regiments, if so desired by regimental commanders. The cavalry will probably go into a joint camp of instruction in Rhode Island with Connecticut, Rhode Island and regular troops.

The coast artillery are expected to go to the forts in Boston Harbor; the field artillery ambulance company and field hospital to Tobyhanna, Pa.; the corps of cadets and signal corps into separate camps.

Riding.

Infantry officers who are mounted are in need of instruction in riding. A school of equitation for these officers should be established.

National Guard Convention.

During the past year the convention of the National Guard Association was held in Boston, and the work accomplished was most satisfactory in that it re-established cordial relations between the Division of Militia Affairs and the organized militia throughout the country.

NAVAL FORCES.

The total enlisted strength on December 31, 1913, was 597; the total enlisted strength on December 31, 1914, was 593; a decrease for the year of 4.

Mutations.

Three officers resigned and 277 enlisted men were discharged other than by expiration of term of enlistment. For further detailed information with respect to this department, see report of the Chief of Naval Militia Bureau, which follows.

EXTRACTS FROM REPORT OF CHIEF OF NAVAL MILITIA BUREAU.

The Commander-in-Chief, recognizing the necessity for expert assistance in the control and government of the Naval Militia, created a naval militia board by Special Orders, No. 94, The Adjutant General's office, 1914, dated May 12, 1914, to assist the Commander-in-

Chief in Naval Militia matters and to prepare Regulations for the government of the Naval Militia. At its own request this board served without pay. Between May 12 and November 16, 1914, this board held nine meetings, passing upon many questions of Naval Militia policy, and its chief was in daily attendance at the State House, acting as assistant to The Adjutant General. Reference to the Regulations will be made under a separate heading.

On November 7, 1914, by General Orders, No. 18, Department of Naval Militia, 1914, the board was superseded by the creation of a Department of Naval Militia in the office of The Adjutant General. The Department of Naval Militia consists of: —

1. The Adjutant General, Chief of Department.
2. The Naval Militia Bureau.
3. Such clerks as The Adjutant General may designate.

The Department of Naval Militia took over all the functions of administrative and departmental control of the Naval Militia, thereby practically separating the administration of Naval Militia matters from those of the National Guard, although each service had, as its head, The Adjutant General appointed by the Commander-in-Chief.

United States Vessels.

The Naval Militia has the use of the following vessels for training: —

- U.S.S. "Chicago," in commission in Reserve.
- U.S.S. "MacDonough," in full commission, for summer months only.
- U.S.S. "Rodgers," loaned to Commonwealth.
- U.S.S. "Dupont," loaned to Commonwealth.

The Navy Department has offered to loan the torpedo boats "Bagley," "Bailey," "Barney" and "Biddle" in place of the "Rodgers" and "Dupont," and the acceptance of this offer is now under consideration by the Naval Militia Bureau.

The "Chicago" is used for the annual tour of duty, and for instruction while at the dock. The "MacDonough," "Rodgers" and "Dupont" are used for week-end cruises for instruction of officers and men afloat. They are also used on the annual tour of duty. The fact that the "Dupont" steamed over 2,000 miles between July 1 and December 1 shows that these vessels are used considerably.

The Navy Department has under consideration the loaning to certain States of the Reserve battleship fleet now stationed at Philadelphia. Under this plan, if approved, Massachusetts would be loaned the battleship "Alabama" in place of the cruiser "Chicago." Such an exchange would be advantageous to the Commonwealth, although it would necessitate some expenditure in providing satisfactory berth for a ship of that size.

Armory and Boathouses.

All divisions of the Naval Militia, with the exception of those in Boston, have satisfactory armory accommodations. This bureau called to your attention in June last the necessity for immediate action to provide temporary quarters for these Boston units of the Naval Militia, and such quarters have been provided in the Mechanics' Building on Huntington Avenue. While not perfect, nor on a par with the quarters furnished other units of the Militia, these quarters are satisfactory for temporary occupancy.

Your attention was invited to the necessity of action by the Armory Commission to provide a water-front armory at Boston, in order to provide satisfactory accommodations for these units, and also to provide a place at which the vessels used for instruction could be provided with a dock in close proximity to the armory. This reference also called attention to the necessity for a boathouse at Fall River, New Bedford, Lynn and Springfield. A water-front armory at Boston could also serve as a boathouse.

The units of the Naval Militia are furnished by the United States government with rowing cutters, steam launches and other small boats for training purposes. The Navy Department has expressed an intention to discontinue loaning such boats to States which do not provide suitable quarters for their protection and use.

Increase in Organization.

By General Orders, No. 22, Department of Naval Militia, issued December 9, 1914, a new engineer division was authorized at Fall River. This new division was needed for two reasons: first, the maintenance of a torpedo boat at Fall River necessitated an engineer's force in that locality; secondly, the Navy Department considers that a well-balanced Naval Militia organization is one in which one-third belong to the engineering branch. By the addition of this new engineer division this ratio is reached.

Relations to Navy Department.

The passage of the National Naval Militia Act, which was approved by the President on February 16, 1914, places the Naval Militia in the same general relation to the Navy Department as that which has been occupied for some time by the National Guard in relation to the War Department.

The Division of Naval Militia Affairs has been created in the Navy Department, succeeding the old so-called Naval Militia office created by the Secretary of the Navy, and is doing much for the benefit of the Naval Militia, giving them many opportunities, issu-

ing books of instruction, printing and furnishing enlistment posters for advertising for recruits, etc.

The act carried an additional appropriation of \$200,000 annually, which appropriation is known as "arms, uniforms and equipments," and which has made possible the issuance of new Springfield rifles throughout the Naval Militia and much clothing and equipment.

The Navy Department is asking for an increase from \$125,000 to \$250,000 in the annual appropriation for arming and equipping the Naval Militia, in order to make possible cruises under Federal pay, transportation and subsistence.

Two years ago, by the request of the Navy Department, the accountability for property was changed to permit each division or company to account directly to the Navy Department for its government property. The experiences of the Navy Department throughout the country have shown that this was not successful, and at the request of the department the accountability for property has been changed again, all units accounting to the Governor, and the Governor accounting to the Navy Department. The Governor is exercising his control of Naval Militia property through the Department of Naval Militia and not through the Quartermaster General.

In accordance with the provisions of the national Naval Militia Act the Navy Department has issued, and this Commonwealth has adopted, certain requirements for examination of medical officers and members of the Hospital Corps. The requirements for other officers, and other questions necessary to be determined by the Secretary of the Navy under the act, were referred to a board of naval officers, of which Captain Gill, U. S. N., was senior member. This board after eight months of work and two important conferences with the national Naval Militia Board, is at present formulating its report which will determine:—

(a) Form of organization to be prescribed for the Naval Militia, including the number of officers, petty officers and other enlisted men to be allowed in each unit.

(b) The status of vessels loaned to the Naval Militia.

(c) The qualifications necessary to satisfy the Secretary of the Navy that officers of the Naval Militia are competent to handle vessels loaned to States.

(d) The scope of the standard professional examination to be prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy for all officers, petty officers and men of the Naval Militia.

(e) The method of holding all examinations to determine whether Naval Militia officers are qualified as required.

This work has been conscientiously performed, and it is believed that the report of the Board will be advantageous to the Naval Militia.

Small-arms Practice.

The Chief of the Naval Militia Bureau assumed direction of this department on December 1, 1914. The work of the past year required the Naval Militia to comply with the same requirements of small-arms practice as pertained in the National Guard. As it is not possible to draw medals from the War Department for Naval Militia, the form of State medal used in 1910 will be furnished.

During the coming year it will be necessary for the Naval Militia to conform to navy standards rather than those of the army; that matter is at the present time receiving attention, and the necessary orders will in due course be submitted for your approval.

Inspections.

The Chief of the Naval Militia Bureau assumed the duties of inspector General on December 1, 1914. The inspections during 1914 were made by Commander Baudoin. His report covering the annual tour of duty in July criticized the commanding officer of the Naval Brigade for certain acts and certain failures to act. These criticisms called forth a vigorous reply from the commanding officer, Naval Brigade. After carefully considering the criticism and the reply, I am of the opinion that the criticisms were justified in the following points: first, lack of initiative and decision; second, failure to properly estimate the situation.

The comments of Commander Baudoin and of the regular naval officers assigned as inspectors were, as a whole, very complimentary to the organization, and, with the exception of the criticisms directed against the commanding officer, Naval Brigade, and chief of B Company, were most satisfactory.

Service School.

The conduct of Service School in the Naval Militia has been put under the control of the Naval Militia Bureau. In view of the action of the Navy Department in assigning an inspector-instructor, and in holding him largely responsible for the professional proficiency of the personnel, it has been deemed advisable to allow the course for the current year to be carried on by the inspector-instructor in consultation with the commanding officer of the Naval Brigade.

During the next two years the officers of the Naval Brigade will be fitting themselves to be examined by the Navy Department as to their professional qualifications, and it is deemed advisable to permit them, through their commanding officer, to largely dictate the subjects to be taken up and the order in which they will be

taken up. The Bureau will render such assistance as is necessary, but does not consider it advisable to adopt any definite program at the present time.

While the Bureau is willing to leave to the present officers and to the inspector-instructor the methods by which they will perfect themselves in the theoretical knowledge required by each, the question of preparing those who are to be given commissions in the future is one that cannot longer be delayed. Officers who are newly commissioned after February, 1917, will become subject to the scope and standard of professional qualifications now being prepared by the Navy Department, and instead of having two years to become proficient therein will be obliged to take the entire examination at one time. In order to make it possible for officers to be selected for commissions with some certainty of passing the examination, it will be necessary to give them the benefit of a considerable period of prior training, and create an eligible list from which officers may be selected with the assurance that they will be qualified.

A cadet school of about twenty-five pupils carefully selected should be formed at once, and this question is receiving the consideration of the Naval Militia Bureau.

Regulations.

The action of the Navy Department in materially changing the Navy Regulations has made it necessary to entirely rewrite Regulations for the government of the Naval Militia. After careful consideration, and due to the necessity that all officers be familiar with the Navy Regulations, it is considered advisable that the Naval Militia Regulations be issued in the form of amendments to the Navy Regulations, and thereby avoid the necessity for the use of two bulky books, largely containing the same provisions. This work is about half done, and it is hoped to be completed within a few months. The magnitude of the task is such that an attempt to hurry the completion of the work would produce unsatisfactory results.

Summer Cruises.

The reports of the commanding officers of the four vessels on which the Naval Militia cruises during 1914 have been made are on file. The cruises were instructive and beneficial.

Owing to the fact that the target practice was not completed on the regular tour of duty in July, a further cruise of two days was made in September on the U. S. S. "MacDonough;" the target practice was completed, but with not very satisfactory results. The lessons learned as a result of this cruise have been formulated in the shape of recommendations to the Navy Department, with the

hope that the department will act in accordance therewith. The national Naval Militia Act requires States to conform to cruises prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy.

Recommendations.

I desire to refer to reference (e), making recommendations, some of which have since been adopted. Those not yet acted on are as follows: —

1. *Length of Cruise.*—It is recommended that a Naval Militia summer cruise be held for a period of fourteen days. Experience has shown that it takes a sufficient time to shake down a ship's crew and to carry on a target practice, so that the extra time is necessary in order to permit of any cruising. A fourteen days' cruise was held in 1911, and was most beneficial.

Relations of Naval Militia to National Government.

The Navy Department is at present formulating its requirements in accordance with the provisions of the national Naval Militia Act. These requirements will necessitate changes in the organization of the Massachusetts Naval Militia and in the scope of examinations and standards for the officers and enlisted men. The Department of Naval Militia should make certain that it has the necessary authority to comply with these standards. I am of the opinion that sections 26, 27, 28 and 29 of the Militia Law give this authority. If there is any doubt it should be removed.

Clerical Assistance for the Naval Militia.

National supervision and increased requirements have produced a condition where the professional and administrative duties of an officer of the militia are so great that they are burdensome and cause many to leave the service. I believe that compensation or pay of an officer who is so overburdened by work that his business or family interests suffer is not a means of solving the problem of how that officer may perform his work, but merely gives him a slight recompense, which is entirely inadequate for the labors performed. If men of ability and efficiency are to be retained in the service, and the service is to benefit by their military efficiency and judgment, they should be relieved of all unnecessary work, or of all work which can be done by clerical assistants. I recommend to your earnest consideration the obtaining of the necessary legislation to provide all companies and headquarters with a clerk-stenographer. Such clerk-stenographers should give their entire time to the work of the company, taking as much of the detail as possible off the

shoulders of the chief of the company, and doing the thousand and one things that can be done by them under the supervision of responsible officers. I believe that competent clerk-stenographers could be obtained for an expenditure that would be reasonable from the standpoint of the Commonwealth, and that such an expenditure would be the means best adapted to the relief of a situation which is constantly growing worse, and would be an expense which the State can well afford to stand for the self-sacrificing work of many officers. If the furnishing of clerical assistance does not relieve the situation, pay to all officers may be the inevitable result, but the first step should be taken toward reducing the work in the hope that the result would prove that a volunteer militia is not an impossibility.

JAMES P. PARKER,

Chief, Naval Militia Bureau.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Constitution of the Commonwealth, with respect to the commissioning of officers, should be amended. This matter should be put into the hands of the Legislature to make such regulations as they may deem proper. In order that a definite plan may be put before you, I would suggest the following:—

(a) Second lieutenants, elected only from an eligible list made up of graduates of the Massachusetts Training School, graduates of West Point or Annapolis, or any other school approved by the War or Navy departments.

(b) First lieutenants and captains, promoted from second lieutenants and first lieutenants, respectively, in their own companies.

(c) Majors, to be elected by line officers of their own organizations and approved by the Commander-in-Chief.

(d) Lieutenant colonels to be promoted according to seniority in their own organizations from majors.

(e) Colonels to be promoted from lieutenant colonels of their organizations.

(f) Brigadier generals, to be appointed by the Commander-in-Chief from the colonels of the brigade. Like plan should apply to officers of assimilated rank in the Naval Militia.

The present Militia Law should be revised and codified. This revision should include the separation of the laws relat-

ing to the land forces and those relating to the naval forces. There are many inconsistencies in the present law which should be corrected. In the future, after such revision, any change or addition to the Militia Law should be referred to expert authority, so that it may be compared with the legislation already on the books, to the end that it may not be inconsistent with it.

Among the changes in Militia Law, for which legislation should be enacted, are:—

Creation of the office of assistant inspector of small-arms practice for all infantry and cavalry organizations.

Authorizing the Commander-in-Chief to, by order, prescribe the number, titles and duty of officers and noncommissioned officers to conform to the custom in the Army of the United States.

Repealing the law requiring the printing of the names and records of retired officers in The Adjutant General's report. The list of names and rank of retired officers, without their records, could be printed in the annual roster and directory, and would answer all purposes.

Authorizing the sale of the land known as the old muster field, or South Framingham camp ground, leaving only the land upon which the State Arsenal and State buildings are at present located. Settlement should also be made for the strip of land now used by the State for a highway.

Following the recommendations made by General Brigham in 1910, at that time The Adjutant General, that the law allowing bodies of men not connected with the State militia to parade in a body with a harmless imitation of firearms be repealed.

There are many companies so organized in this State, and they are under no State supervision whatsoever. It is interfering with the recruiting of the militia to allow them to wear uniforms and parade with harmless imitations of firearms. Members of such organizations have only the spectacular, pleasant, social and "gold braid" part of a soldier's duty to perform; they are not obliged to study, are not subject to discipline, and do not have to attend drills nor tours

of duty, with the results that they go into these organizations instead of enlisting in the organized militia. I earnestly recommend that this law be repealed, to the end that all bodies of men parading under arms be prohibited, except United States and State forces, the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, associations of honorably discharged soldiers, authorized student organizations, foreign troops when authorized, veteran bodies and their associations.

Authorizing the Governor to appoint a board composed of civilians and militia officers to make suggestions and recommend legislation to strengthen recruiting for the organized militia.

To the effect that no person should be eligible for original appointment as a member of a town, city or State police, or a town or city permanent fire department, who was not a member of the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia at the time of the passage of such act, and was not continuously a member until the time of appointment, or unless he has honorably served at least two years in the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia, the Army or Navy of the United States, or honorably served in the United States Volunteers in time of war, the act not to apply to those men whose names are now on the civil service lists for appointment to such positions.

That the enlisted men of the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia on their annual tour of duty receive their present rate of pay of \$2 a day, less their subsistence, now earned by them and turned into the company treasury, and that in place of this money now received by the company, an allowance be paid to each company of \$7 a man for the average attendance at the United States and State inspections and the annual tour of duty. This allowance is made by many States, and is necessary for the efficiency of the company.

That in case the Commander-in-Chief desires to appoint The Adjutant General from the active list of officers of the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia, such appointee may by orders of the Commander-in-Chief be detailed as The Adjutant General, and while so serving be given temporarily

the rank of brigadier general, and after such service be returned to his original grade and rank.

Creating a proper reserve of officers and enlisted men to the organized militia.

Establish recruiting depots throughout the State for the recruiting of organizations to war strength, and to keep them there during time of war.

Authority to increase the maximum enlisted strength of the different units throughout the State, as follows: —

Companies of infantry and coast artillery to 100 men each.

Batteries of field artillery to 150 each.

Troops of cavalry to 75 each.

Ambulance company to 67.

Field Hospital to 54.

In case none of the present organizations elect to transfer from infantry to one of the auxiliary branches of the service, legislation should be enacted to authorize the organization of a regiment of field artillery, a pioneer battalion of Engineers, two additional companies of coast artillery, one additional ambulance company and one additional field hospital.

Legislation to make the condition under which rendezvous drills are held more equitable.

Granting authority to authorize a Dental Corps.

Increasing the duration of the tour of duty from eight to fourteen days.

Authorization for the creation of a list of supernumerary officers who are not prescribed by the War Department, but may be necessary for State purposes.

For the creation of a suspended list, so that a soldier temporarily out of the State at the time of inspection could be placed upon such suspended list, not losing continuous enlistment.

Creating a separate examining board for each branch of the service.

Allowing an armorer to each separate battalion and squadron headquarters.

For a plan of registration for a nominal sum of a sufficient number of horses throughout the State to mount the organi-

zations authorized to be mounted, and to furnish a sufficient number of draft animals for the transportation and combat trains. A price to be set after examination by a veterinarian, both for sale and hire to the State, and horses to be subject to requisition at the prices set, both in time of peace and war.

Legislation is necessary in the matter of funds. Regimental, company, mess, band and detachment funds should be maintained and conducted as the Commander-in-Chief may prescribe in Regulations. The administration of said fund by the officer designated in Regulations to have the custody thereof should be one of the duties pertaining to his office, in the proper performance of which he should furnish a bond to the Commonwealth. The Commonwealth should be responsible to the organization for any misappropriation of such fund by the officer having custody thereof.

During the time covered by this report Brig. Gen. Gardner W. Pearson was Adjutant General from March 1, 1913, to May 2, 1914, when he retired; the present incumbent held the position of Adjutant General from June 6, 1914, to the present time.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

I desire to express my thanks and appreciation for the hearty co-operation of the department heads and commanding officers throughout the militia, and for the valuable assistance rendered by the Inspector-Instructors and Sergeant-Instructors of the United States, detailed to Massachusetts.

I also desire to thank the office force for their faithful and efficient work during the year.

On behalf of the militia I desire to thank you for the great interest you have shown in the military department and the assistance you have given it, not only by your actions, but particularly by your public speeches, where you have placed its merits and efficiency before the citizens of this Commonwealth in a most effective manner.

CHARLES H. COLE,

The Adjutant General, Chief of Staff.

EXPENDITURES.

Adjutant General.

Salaries:—

1. The Adjutant General,	\$3,269 36
2. Adjutant General,	1,800 00
3. Chief clerk,	2,200 00
4. Second clerk,	2,000 00
5. Clerical assistance,	11,719 82

Other annual expenses:—

6. Incidentals,	6,983 57
7. Military accounts,	6,026 87
8. Claims for injured horses, . .	863 75
9. Premiums on scheduled bonds, .	507 62

Militia (allowances and instruction):—

10. Military instruction,	3,806 67
11. Militia pay and allowances, . .	187,276 74
12. Militia transportation,	29,838 24
13. Militia rifle practice,	20,598 75
14. Allowances to officers for uniforms,	17,327 65
15. Allowances to officers for care of property,	6,357 62
16. Company armorers,	13,056 52
17. Instruction in riding,	6,710 00
18. Allowance to headquarters and com- panies,	3,845 00
19. Repairs to uniforms,	13,384 00
20. Expenses of United States ships, .	12,898 53
Military expenses at Salem fire, .	26,363 32

 \$376,834 03
Quartermaster General.

Salaries:—

1. Quartermaster General,	\$2,000 00
2. Superintendent of armories, . .	1,800 00
3. Clerks,	9,093 66

Militia (supplies and maintenance
of property):—

4. Watchman at arsenal,	800 00
5. Quartermaster's expenses, . . .	6,658 99
6. Quartermaster's supplies, . . .	11,086 69

 Amounts carried forward, . . . \$31,439 34 \$376,834 03

<i>Amounts brought forward,</i>		\$31,439 34	\$376,834 03
7. Militia camp ground,		3,992 22	
8. Salaries of armorers, first class,		51,910 00	
9. Maintenance of armories, first class,		96,782 71	
10. Armory rents and maintenance, second class,		7,560 00	
11. Armory rents and maintenance, third class,		7,749 49	
12. Allowances to batteries of artillery,		2,400 00	
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Surgeon General.

1. Surgeon General's salary,		\$1,200 00	
2. Medical supplies and expenses,		3,549 70	
3. Examination of recruits,		3,237 84	
		<hr/>	7,987 54
Total,			<hr/>
			\$586,655 33

REPORT OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL.

BOSTON, January, 1915.

The transportation to maneuvers the past summer, so far as the infantry was concerned, was accomplished by the use of regular army transportation requests and United States bills of lading. Lieut. Charles J. White, U. S. A., who was detailed here as camp quartermaster, conferred with the Quartermaster General, and meetings were held with the passenger agents of the various roads, so that a time schedule was arranged to enable the various organizations to reach Middleborough as early as possible the first day of the mobilization. The use of United States transportation requests showed the unfamiliarity of certain officers with the same, but the corrections as made later would lead this office to suggest that these United States requests should be used whenever the United States is paying at least a part of the transportation charges, that the different officers may familiarize themselves with United States transportation methods. The camp at Middleborough, being a joint camp and a permanent one, it was necessary for this department to provide a sufficient water supply, and under orders some two miles of pipe were laid, a 3,000 gallon tank set up, and a gas engine capable of pumping the water installed. For your information the average amount of water used each day during the tour of duty amounted to 46,000 gallons.

I cannot speak too highly of the service rendered by the Electric Freight and Express, which passes the camp ground, both time and expense being saved in the delivery of necessary supplies.

The State Arsenal and the buildings on the camp ground have been kept up in proper condition, the entire expense of the care of the camp ground being noted on the attached tabulated statement. Owing to the dry season the crop of hay did not come up to expectations, but there is in store at South Framingham today some \$2,000 worth of hay available for the use of such animals as may be military property.

The sales department this year distributed through the State for military purposes property amounting to \$5,351.07.

This year there was drawn from the United States government sufficient olive-drab overcoats and marching shoes of the new pattern to entirely equip the militia of the Commonwealth. Harnesses and forty additional escort wagons were also received, sufficient plus the number on hand, as required by United States Tables of Organization, 1914.

At the time of the Salem fire, under your orders, tentage and blankets were shipped to Salem for the use of the sufferers, the greater part of which has been returned.

The extra wear and tear on the tents at Salem causes me to invite your attention to the necessity of additional pyramidal tents, to the number of fifty-two at least. The excess property, caused by dropping allowance in 1912 and 1913, is now being gathered in, much of which is serviceable.

The roofs of each armory are constantly needing repairs, and on some of the armories built a quarter of a century ago new roofs will be necessary.

The various armories are continually in need of painting, which necessitates a large expense.

Plumbing changes, to comply with sanitary conditions and compliance with law, must be made.

New boilers in many of the old armories must be installed, to comply with the requirements of the inspectors of the State Police and in accordance with the State law appertaining to steam boilers.

It is expected that the following armories will require new boilers in 1915, viz.: South Armory, constructed in 1889, 3; East Armory, constructed in 1889, 2; Worcester Armory, constructed in 1891, 2; Lowell Armory, constructed in 1891, 2; at an estimated cost of \$10,000 all told.

It is impossible to state the particular armories upon which money must be expended; every armory has been repaired more or less during the year 1914, and repairs will be necessary on all in 1915.

A great improvement has been made in making the State flags.

For years the State arms and pine tree have been painted directly on the bunting, and as the paint rots the fiber of the material, a heavy wind tears the center and ruins the flag beyond repair.

Experiments have been tried in the past to obviate this difficulty.

In January, 1914, a flag suggested by Mr. Dale, superintendent, was tried out on the Cambridge Armory, and was in constant use for nearly one year.

This flag has the coat-of-arms and pine tree painted on separate blue cloth shields, sewed to the bunting, thus preserving the life of the flag, and making a saving of 75 per cent at least in the expense for State flags.

The same earnest effort as in former years has been made for the upkeep of the armory property of the Commonwealth, and it is gratifying to inform you that practically all the armories are in first-class condition. Notwithstanding that an additional armory has been added to the list, viz., Clinton, the sum of \$97,500 has been asked to be allowed for the year 1915, and unless extraordinary emergency should arise I am confident it will be sufficient to cover all expenses.

In conclusion, permit me to express my appreciation of the cheerful co-operation of Lieutenant Colonel Glines, Captain Tandy and all the office force, who have been diligent and attentive to the various tasks imposed upon them.

WILLIAM B. EMERY,

Brigadier General.

REPORT OF THE JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL.

Boston, February 10, 1915.

There have been held from the time of my last report eight courts martial, and my opinion from time to time has been given on matters referred to me by the Commander-in-Chief.

I would recommend that the entire Militia Law be revised and codified, with a view to removing the inconsistencies which now exist.

I would especially recommend that all laws dealing with the organization of the militia be repealed and a new law modeled after that of the United States statute upon which the organization of the United States Army is based be substituted.

WILLIAM C. ROGERS,
Brigadier General.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSARY GENERAL.

BOSTON, December 1, 1914.

In accordance with telephonic communication received at 1 A.M., June 26, I proceeded to Salem, where I established headquarters at the armory of the Second Corps Cadets, and took charge of the purchase of subsistence supplies and of their distribution to the militia on duty and to the refugees made homeless by the Salem fire. Special Orders, No. 127, dated June 25, was afterward received by me containing the orders under which I acted.

Before leaving for Salem I had secured telephonic communication with several contractors who at once began shipping milk, bread, beef, ham, eggs, potatoes and other necessities by motor trucks. Requisitions were made on all night lunches in Boston proper for sandwiches and hot coffee, which were loaded into automobiles and accompanied me to Salem. The first motor truck loaded with milk, bread and other provisions arrived at the Salem Armory at 7 o'clock, and was followed at short intervals by others, so that by noon a large quantity of supplies was on hand.

On my arrival I found Lieut. Eugene H. Clapp, Quartermaster and Commissary, First Corps Cadets, in charge. The excellent work performed by him and his assistants was gradually producing order out of chaos. Lieutenant Clapp's well-known business ability and thoughtfulness were of great value.

The painstaking and self-sacrificing work performed by Capt. George T. Latimer, who was given charge of the Forest River Park Refugees Camp, and by Capt. Merton E. Jenkins, who took charge of the distribution of supplies at the high school, deserves special mention.

I wish it were possible to report by name every officer and enlisted man who assisted during the Salem fire; all did noble work. To these men sleep and food were secondary considerations. Their first thought was given to the immediate relief of the sufferers.

A card index system was shortly perfected by which we were able to distribute supplies to all applicants (except those, who, after investigation by a corps of detectives, were found to be imposters), and no case of suffering from hunger was reported after the system had been in operation a few hours. Much of the credit for the successful working of this system should be given to Sergt. Charles W. Harris, Company C, First Corps Cadets.

The Commissary General was relieved from duty by order of The Adjutant General on June 30 at 7 P.M., and the duties previously devolving upon him were assumed by the civil authorities of Salem, represented by Col. John E. Spencer, M. V. M., retired, who acted in a purely civil capacity.

In accordance with communication of June 1, from The Adjutant General, I was instructed to subsist during the field tour of duty at Lakeville the following:—

First Brigade Headquarters,	}	July 5 to 19.
Second Brigade Headquarters,		
Fifth Infantry,		
Sixth Infantry,		
Eighth Infantry,		
Ninth Infantry,		
First Corps Cadets (at camp not then selected),		July 11 to 18.
First Battalion, Field Artillery, at West Barnstable,		July 18 to 25.
Ambulance Company, No. 1, at Lakeville,		July 12 to 19.
Company A, Signal Corps, at Lakeville,		July 12 to 19, inclusive.

The organizations not named above to be subsisted by their commanding officers.

On June 9 another communication from The Adjutant General notified me that, by direction of the Chief, Division of Militia Affairs, all funds from maneuver appropriation would be expended under supervision of a regular army quartermaster.

General Orders, No. 12, The Adjutant General's office, stated that commanding officers of the Naval Brigade, First Battalion, Field Artillery, and First and Second Corps Cadets, would furnish subsistence for their respective organizations, to be paid for from allowance for subsistence. The commanding officers of all other organizations named in that order would furnish subsistence for their respective organizations for the first day of their tour of camp duty, for which the full commutation of ration would be allowed, and that during the period from July 5 to 19 a

depot under a United States Army quartermaster would be established at Middleborough from which subsistence stores would be issued daily. The duty of this department became, therefore, merely that of checking up with the United States quartermaster the amount of supplies issued and charged against the State's allotment as compared with the number of men reported for duty on the pay roll.

Under Special Orders, No. 129, The Adjutant General's office, the Commissary General was assigned to duty at the joint camp at Lakeville, July 12 to 19, inclusive. The report of the work performed by me under this assignment was forwarded to The Adjutant General's office on July 21, and it is therefore referred to as a part of this annual report.

JAMES G. WHITE,
Brigadier General.

REPORT OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER, FIRST BRIGADE.

Boston, December 31, 1914.

Report of work of this brigade for 1914 is as follows:—

On January 5 occurred United States inspection; on April 28, State inspection.

Service School work was taken up by members of brigade staff, not under supervision of the brigade commander.

From July 5 to 13 the brigade went into camp at Lakeville, the camp being known as a joint camp. I would suggest that if this plan is continued the regular troops be equipped the same as the militia, and given the same style of tents. The instruction was well carried out, army officers being detailed to each organization, and working in harmony with them. Details of the work in this tour will be found in the inspectors' reports.

Colonel Hayes mobilized his regiment at Worcester on a Sunday, by use of the telephone emergency calls; the men were not informed as to the date, and the call was to be tried out, as if it was a real emergency. The regiment was assembled very quickly, and the experiment was a success.

The Service School plan for the fall and winter has been changed, and the field officers' class of each brigade is now under supervision of the brigade commander; the course of study is also changed.

Meetings of the First Brigade school were held on November 20 and on December 18, the latter meeting closing the work of the brigade for 1914.

GEORGE H. PRIEST,
Brigadier General.

REPORT OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER, SECOND BRIGADE.

BOSTON, MASS., December 31, 1914.

I have the honor to report in brief the work of the Second Brigade Headquarters for the year 1914, not including the work performed by the different regiments.

The headquarters and field officers of the regiments attended the field officers' schools and took part in the map problems, as planned by the brigade commander and the United States Inspector-Instructors for the winter of 1913-14. On April 18, 19 and 20 the brigade commander and the staff officers and orderlies took the three-day 90-mile riding test, as required by General Orders, No. 148, The Adjutant General's office, U. S. A., series 1910, leaving headquarters at 9 A.M., April 18, and finishing April 20, well within the time limit. The ride was made in strict accordance with the requirements of the test, and all finished in good condition with the exception of one officer who met with an accident and was ordered to discontinue. The horses also, with one exception, were in fair condition at the finish.

Early in April the commanding officers of all organizations were assembled by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for the purpose of considering the annual tour of camp duty, and it was finally agreed by all of the commanding officers of the two brigades to have what was called a joint maneuver camp at Lakeville, as desired by the War Department as expressed in General Orders, No. 8, Department of the East. It was understood that practically all the troops in the first division — that is, the New England States — would participate, and that there would be a battalion of regular infantry present, thus making it a joint camp of regular and National Guard troops. The plan was carried out, as far as the Massachusetts Militia were concerned, but only a small company of regulars were present, and their presence was of no advantage to the Militia, nor was any attempt made to make it so. However, the presence of three regular officers with

each regiment, and the program of instruction as carried out, was of much value. The brigade went into camp at Lakeville July 12 to 19, inclusive, the Fifth and Ninth regiments occupying the same ground just vacated the day before by the First Brigade, and the Eighth Regiment occupying an adjoining field. Changes were made in the location of the officers' quarters and kitchens of the Fifth and Ninth regiments. The water was supplied through pipes to each company's street, as previously planned by the Quartermaster General, and was very satisfactory. The officers and men worked hard and earnestly. The program is too long to publish in this report. The general idea was instruction by platoons, companies and battalions for the first part of the week, and later, problems for each regiment separately and for the brigade. The work of the men was finished by noon, except each regiment sent out a battalion after dark for three nights for practice in occupying a position previously selected by the battalion officers. In the afternoon the field officers took part in tactical rides, and at the close of the day the officers were assembled for a conference on the day's work. His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief was present on one afternoon and reviewed the brigade.

On November 7 and December 11 field officers' schools for headquarters and the field officers of the brigade were held at headquarters; subjects, organization, marching and camping.

For 1915 I recommend, unless the United States government holds maneuvers, that the three regiments of this brigade have separate regimental camps at a time and place designated by the regimental commanders approved by the brigade commander, and that the program of work be planned by the brigade and regimental commanders, and all be arranged, completed and published in orders before April 1, 1915.

E. LEROY SWEETSER,

Brigadier General.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MILITARY EXAMINERS.

BOSTON, January 5, 1915.

This Board held during the year 16 meetings and 4 hearings. One hundred and twenty-one officers appeared for examination. Of this number, 5 were rejected as not being competent; 7 given from thirty to sixty days to reappear for a mental re-examination; and 14 to reappear for a physical examination. During the year the Board recommended that the physical disqualifications be waived on 9 officers; the principal defect of these officers was that of overweight.

This Board continues its recommendation of the past two years, and again asks that the recorder be paid the sum of \$50 per year for postage and extra services.

E. LEROY SWEETSER,
Brigadier General, President.

REPORT OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER, OFFICERS' CAMP OF INSTRUCTION.

BOSTON, MASS., December 31, 1914.

In compliance with General Orders, No. 10, The Adjutant General's office a camp of instruction for infantry, departmental and staff officers was established at West Newbury, Mass., June 25 to June 28, inclusive. The commanding officer and staff, with detail of enlisted men, reported on June 21 and prepared the camp and had everything in readiness on June 24, when the officers detailed from the United States Army as instructors reported. A rifle range with targets for field firing was also constructed on the old battery camp ground at Ipswich. The program of instruction was prepared by the commanding officer and Maj. John W. Heavey, U. S. A. The school opened at 1 P.M., June 25, with Maj. W. S. Bertch, U. S. A., and 15 army officers present as instructors. The officers and noncommissioned officers were divided into seven classes, two composed of field officers and their adjutants, one of captains of infantry, one of lieutenants of infantry, one of supply and staff officers, one of medical officers and one of selected noncommissioned officers. There were 120 noncommissioned officers present who were divided into two companies, officered by regular army officers. The work was somewhat broken up by the Salem fire, which occurred in the afternoon of the first day of the school. One hundred and ten officers, including 28 Medical officers and 28 student noncommissioned officers, left the school for duty at Salem. On June 28 the officers took electric cars to Ipswich and spent the day at the range for instruction in field firing. All field officers on the last day of camp were required to report their recommendations, the majority of whom report a most excellent camp of instruction.

Officers present at opening of the school,	287
Officers absent at opening of the school,	47
Noncommissioned officers present,	120
Noncommissioned officers absent,	-
Officers ordered to duty at Salem fire,	110
Noncommissioned officers ordered to duty at Salem fire,	28

RECOMMENDATIONS.

That the date of the school of instruction and the program of work be made up and published on or before April 1 of each year.

That a number of mounts be provided for the field officers for instructions and for tactical rides.

That the school of instruction be held for one week's duration, and all officers be compelled to attend at least four days.

E. LEROY SWEETSER,
Brigadier General.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF COAST ARTILLERY CORPS.

BOSTON, MASS., December 31, 1914.

During the year much progress has been made in both infantry and artillery instruction, and it is believed that at this writing the organization is in the best condition in its history, notwithstanding the fact that for the greater part of the year no Inspector-Instructor has been detailed to this corps.

INSPECTOR-INSTRUCTORS.

At the annual tour of camp duty Capt. William H. Wilson, Coast Artillery, U. S. A., was detailed as acting inspector-instructor, and following the tour of camp duty, First Lieut. James W. Lyon, Coast Artillery, U. S. A., was detailed for the remainder of the year. The latter officer never presumed to dictate as to how the affairs of the organization should be administered, but endeavored to assist the commanding officer in every possible way.

Too much authority is given the Inspector-Instructors by General Orders, No. 9, War Department, 1912, at tours of camp duty, or is assumed by them under the interpretations they give said order. It is perfectly obvious that this dual authority is liable to result in much injury to an organization.

In no organization is an Inspector-Instructor more desired than in the Coast Artillery Corps, for the reason that changes in armament, equipment and drill are being made so continually that it would be difficult for any National Guard officer to keep fully informed.

It would appear, however, as if the commanding officer of the corps should be consulted before any detail is made.

UNITED STATES ARTILLERY EXAMINATIONS.

During the year United States artillery examinations of officers were held at the South State Armory on May 11 and November 9.

I would recommend that hereafter no second lieutenant be commissioned as first lieutenant until he has passed both the range and communication officer's course, the emplacement officer's course, and the basic course, and no officer be commissioned as captain until he has also passed the battery commander's course.

It is also recommended that hereafter no officer be commissioned as a field officer who has not previously passed all of the artillery courses.

ENLISTED SPECIALISTS.

It will be observed that during the year there have been 332 qualifications as gunners, of which one company, the Fifth of Chelsea, has furnished none.

OFFICERS' SCHOOL.

A school for officers was held at Fort Warren, June 20 to 23, inclusive. Permission was not granted for this school until Thursday, June 18, which obviously left very little opportunity to make the necessary preparations therefor. Moreover, the coast defense commander of Boston received official authority for this school to be held at Fort Warren only fifteen minutes before the arrival of the corps officers at the post.

Notwithstanding this fact, however, in anticipation of the necessary permission being granted, I had arranged in connection with the coast defense commander for a very interesting course of lectures and study.

The army officers had all prepared very instructive papers, and the general opinion among our own officers was that the school was the most successful ever held, and it is recommended that these schools be continued.

Colonel Hawthorne and all the officers at the post did everything possible to assist in making the school instructive and in looking out for the comfort of the officers during its duration.

ANNUAL TOUR OF CAMP DUTY.

Better transportation facilities should be furnished by the War Department, and larger camping details be allowed, if the corps is to encamp by battalions.

It is suggested that Boston Harbor is ill fitted for target practice, and some other place should be selected where the entire

regiment may be assembled for its annual tour of camp duty, as there has been practically no target practice held by the corps now for two years.

While the companies were not permitted to have target practice, the artillery drills were continued with considerable benefit to the command.

More opportunity was afforded than usual for infantry work, and a review at Fort Strong of the entire corps was tendered to Col. H. L. Hawthorne, Coast Artillery, U. S. A., on Saturday, July 25, and on the return of the corps to Boston a review was tendered His Excellency, David I. Walsh, Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

SMALL-ARMS QUALIFICATIONS.

Many of the companies have been handicapped in qualifying by lack of suitable ranges and insufficient appropriations from the cities and towns in which the companies are located. It is recommended that some effort be made to increase the appropriations made for this purpose by the cities of Boston and Chelsea. It is believed that the companies on the Cape will soon be provided with better rifle ranges, and will hereafter be able to qualify under more favorable conditions.

ARMAMENT AT SOUTH STATE ARMORY.

None of the out-of-town companies are provided with guns in their armories, and therefore at the armory drills the gun detachments have no opportunity to become proficient in drill. It is recommended, therefore, that some arrangements be made whereby these companies may be given transportation to Boston at least once each month during the spring drill period, in order that full advantage may be taken of the complete installation of armament and position-finding stations there located.

PAPER WORK AT HEADQUARTERS.

The paper work at headquarters has increased so rapidly in the last few years that it is imperative that something be done at once to lighten this heavy burden. From statistics compiled at the end of the year 1911 it is found that one officer (the adjutant) and four sergeants major were working twenty-four hours per week in the armory. At the present time the work is being handled by six officers and four enlisted men, as follows: —

The adjutant and sergeant major, senior grade, fifteen hours per week; five staff officers, each assigned to a particular part of the work, three hours per week; and three sergeants major, junior grade, as typewriters, each three hours per week; total, fifty-four hours per week.

This is a minimum, as all are often at the armory on extra nights in an effort to keep up with the paper work. Moreover, a large amount of the work has been done at my own business office by clerks paid by me from my own private funds.

With all of this help, however, it is an utter impossibility to keep the work at headquarters up to date. This is so discouraging, especially to the enlisted men, that they are continually leaving the service, thus making it necessary to break in new men, which is in itself a great drawback.

An instance of the amount of work involved in even routine matters is shown in the fact that 55 separate operations are necessary in handling one rendezvous drill for one company.

The large amount of paper work and the entirely inadequate assistance allowed for handling it has driven and is driving many men out of the service who would otherwise remain.

RETIREMENT OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

Upon retiring from the service of the Commonwealth I desire to express my appreciation of the loyalty of all the officers and men of the corps, and of their earnest efforts to improve the standing of the corps in every possible way. I further desire to thank The Adjutant General for favors extended to me, and the kind consideration he has given my suggestions at all times.

WALTER E. LOMBARD,
Colonel.

REPORT OF THE PAYMASTER GENERAL.

DECEMBER 11, 1914.

I enclose herewith report of the Pay Department of the National Guard, M. V. M., for the fiscal year ending December 1, 1914.

The same general policy has prevailed in this department during the past year as formerly, instructions being given to the several paymasters to take such action as would insure the earliest possible payment of all authorized funds.

The statement of the disbursements from Federal funds under R. S. 1661 as disbursing officer, Massachusetts organized militia, during the fiscal year ending December 1, 1914, is appended.

CHARLES HAYDEN,
Colonel.

• *Disbursements from Federal Funds during the Fiscal Year 1914.*

Militia pay,	\$17,765 61
Militia transportation,	11,918 07
Draft horses,	2,680 00
Motor trucks,	200 00
Subsistence,	2,184 60
Cash prizes,	4,421 00
Entrance fees,	977 75
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REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF ORDNANCE.

JANUARY 12, 1915.

1. CONSOLIDATED EFFICIENTS, 1914.

	Total on Rolls.	Total firing.	Experts.	Sharpshooters.	Marksmen.	First Class.	Second Class.	Total firing, Long Range.	Gallery Qualifications.	Total firing Re-volver.
Commander-in-Chief and staff.	3	3	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
The Adjutant General's Department.	3	3	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1
Inspector General's Department.	6	6	4	2	-	-	-	1	-	2
Judge Advocate General's Department.	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quartermaster's Department.	16	12	6	5	1	-	-	5	-	11
Subsistence Department.	5	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Pay Department.	5	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Ordnance Department.	11	11	11	-	-	-	-	8	-	8
Corps of Engineers.	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	2
Headquarters, First Brigade.	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	2
Headquarters, Second Brigade.	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Coast Artillery Corps.	940	702	118	154	316	69	12	57	205	121
Second Infantry.	725	642	125	111	250	58	81	59	305	75
Fifth Infantry.	770	592	135	118	207	36	31	72	199	79
Sixth Infantry.	696	687	216	155	290	3	9	76	171	103
Eighth Infantry.	803	669	170	156	265	15	15	109	290	99
Ninth Infantry.	686	577	96	74	213	36	76	43	68	47
First Corps Cadets.	249	222	61	58	71	13	1	26	72	19
Second Corps Cadets.	203	160	53	20	30	18	8	27	63	17
First Squadron Cavalry.	220	220	56	52	93	13	3	14	92	76
Totals.	5,349	4,516	1,057	908	1,741	261	236	500	1,465	670
Naval militia.	458	356	78	57	101	35	34	27	112	56
Totals.	5,807	4,872	1,135	965	1,842	296	270	527	1,577	726

The Ten Companies of the State with the Highest Figure of Merit.

Company H, Sixth Regiment Infantry, 113.77

Company I, Eighth Regiment Infantry, 111.14

Company E, Second Regiment Infantry, 109.11

Company C, Eighth Regiment Infantry,	108.09
Company G, Eighth Regiment Infantry,	107.86
Company G, Fifth Regiment Infantry,	107.70
Company I, Sixth Regiment Infantry,	107.61
Troop C, First Squadron Cavalry,	107.20
Company F, Eighth Regiment Infantry,	105.55
Seventh Company, Coast Artillery Corps,	104.69

2. COMPETITIONS.

The competitions ordered for the current year were as follows:—

Indoor for enlisted men, regimental and battalion (company teams), and the State general competition.

Indoor competitions were a success, and the same general plan may be followed for the season of 1915 with benefit.

The following are the results:—

Indoor Competitions, 1914.

ORGANIZATION.	First Prize.	Second Prize.
Coast Artillery Corps:—		
Division A,	First Company.	Ninth Company.
Division B,	Seventh Company.	Second Company.
Division C,	Third Company.	Eleventh Company.
Second Infantry:—		
Division A,	B Company.	E Company.
Division B,	D Company.	I Company.
Division C,	C Company.	A Company.
Fifth Infantry:—		
Division A,	G Company.	L Company.
Division B,	M Company.	I Company.
Division C,	B Company.	A Company.
Sixth Infantry:—		
Division A,	A Company.	H Company.
Division B,	G Company.	None.
Division C,	F Company.	E Company.
Eighth Infantry:—		
Division A,	F Company.	G Company.
Division B,	C Company.	E Company.
Division C,	K Company.	None.
Ninth Infantry:—		
Division A,	G Company.	L Company.
Division B,	I Company.	E Company.
Division C,	K Company.	A Company.
First Corps Cadets, Division A,	D Company.	None.
Second Corps Cadets, only two companies competed.	None.	None.
First Squadron Cavalry, Division A, . . .	D Troop.	None.
Naval Brigade, Division A,	H Company.	None.

Regimental and Battalion.

These competitions were held under conditions calling for firing at 300, 500 and 600 yards, slow fire, and at 200 and 300 yards, rapid fire, with two prizes in regimental competitions instead of one as in the past.

The results were as follows:—

Coast Artillery Corps, September 18:—	Scores.
Winning team, first division, Fourth Company, . . .	1,404
Winning team, second division, Eleventh Company, . .	1,126
Second Infantry, September 21:—	
Winning team, first division, E Company, . . .	1,405
Winning team, second division, D Company, . . .	1,224
Fifth Infantry, September 16:—	
Winning team, first division, G Company, . . .	1,428
Winning team, second division, M Company, . . .	1,286
Sixth Infantry, September 14:—	
Winning team, first division, A Company, . . .	1,469
Winning team, second division, B Company, . . .	1,269
Eighth Infantry, September 17:—	
Winning team, first division, G Company, . . .	1,483
Winning team, second division, E Company, . . .	1,222
Ninth Infantry, September 12:—	
Winning team, first division, L Company, . . .	1,365
Winning team, second division, E Company, . . .	1,037
First Corps Cadets, October 8:—	
Winning team, C Company,	1,502
Second Corps Cadets, September 22:—	
Winning team, B Company,	1,393
First Squadron Cavalry, September 12:—	
Winning team, C Troop,	1,370
Naval Brigade, September 14:—	
Winning team, I Company,	1,314

The score made by the team of C Company, First Corps Cadets, was the highest of this series of competitions.

State General Rifle Competition.

The competition was held under General Orders, No. 15, calling for both slow and rapid firing: 300, 600 and 1,000 yards, slow fire; 200 yards, rapid fire; teams of 12; 10 shots each; possible points, 2,400.

Standing of Teams.

	Score.
Eighth Infantry,	2,163
Second Infantry,	2,104
Sixth Infantry,	2,059
Fifth Infantry,	2,049
Coast Artillery Corps,	2,037
Ninth Infantry,	1,963
First Corps Cadets,	1,959
First Squadron Cavalry,	1,932
Second Corps Cadets,	1,860
Naval Brigade,	1,771

Twelve individual prizes (cups) were awarded to the highest twelve competitors, as follows:—

	Score.
Capt. Frank A. D. Bullard, Ninth Company, Coast Artillery Corps,	191
Capt. John E. Parker, G Company, Eighth Infantry,	190
Q. M. Sergt. Lewis Fields, I Company, Eighth Infantry,	189
Sergt. Albert L. Woodworth, B Company, Second Infantry,	188
Art. Ernest R. Eastman, A Company, Sixth Infantry,	187
Sergt. John Martins, First Company, Coast Artillery Corps,	187
Art. John C. Spraker, L Company, Fifth Infantry,	186
Capt. Walter A. Smith, G Company, Second Infantry,	185
Priv. James F. Loughlin, H Company, Sixth Infantry,	185
Priv. Frank Francis, Fourth Company, Coast Artillery Corps,	185
First Lieut. Ernest E. Lincoln, K Company, Fifth Infantry,	184

Gold medals were awarded for the highest twelve scores made by contestants who had never won a gold medal in a State competition. Winning a gold medal under the conditions of the State competition entitles the winner to a distinguished marksman's medal.

The following were the winners:—

	Score.
1. Q. M. Sergt. Lewis Fields, I Company, Eighth Infantry,	189
2. Art. Ernest R. Eastman, A Company, Sixth Infantry,	187
3. Sergt. John Martins, Fourth Company, Coast Artillery Corps,	187
4. Capt. Walter A. Smith, G Company, Second Infantry,	185
5. Sergt. Geo. R. Elliott, C Company, Eighth Infantry,	184
6. Sergt. Frank K. Christie, C Company, Eighth Infantry,	182
7. Corp. Olaf N. Christensen, K Company, Second Infantry,	182

	Score.
8. First Sergt. George E. Burke, C Company, Second Corps Cadets,	181
9. Corp. Ralph E. Cunningham, G Company, Eighth Infantry,	181
10. Lieut. Albert F. Christensen, K Company, Second Infantry,	180
11. First Sergt. William S. Remby, K Company, Eighth Infantry,	179
12. Sergt. Allan W. Firth, L Company, Eighth Infantry, . .	178

State Rifle Team.

General Orders, No. 15, The Adjutant General's office, current series, directed the Chief of Ordnance to select and train a team to represent the Commonwealth in the national divisional competition at Sea Girt, N. J., on Friday, September 4. Under this order the following officers and enlisted men were selected, and were designated as the State team:—

Capt. Kingsley A. Burnham, team captain, Ordnance Department.
 Lieut. Frederick R. Daniels, team coach, B Company, Eighth Infantry.
 Capt. Stuart W. Wise, Ordnance Department.
 Capt. John E. Parker, G Company, Eighth Infantry.
 Art. John C. Spraker, Jr., L Company, Fifth Infantry.
 Sergt. Richard K. Conant, C Company, First Corps Cadets.
 Sergt. Frank J. Cunningham, F Company, Fifth Infantry.
 Sergt. Wilfred D. Demarais, F Company, Fifth Infantry.
 Sergt. Frank H. Kean, G Company, Fifth Infantry.
 Sergt. Joseph T. Lawless, F Company, Fifth Infantry.
 Sergt. Albert L. Woodworth, B Company, Second Infantry.
 Art. Ernest R. Eastman, A Company, Sixth Infantry.
 Priv. Edmond R. Bagley, C Company, Sixth Infantry.
 Priv. Frank Francis, Fourth Company, Coast Artillery Corps.
 Priv. Sidney W. Greeley, K Company, Sixth Infantry.
 Priv. James F. Loughlin, H Company, Sixth Infantry.
 Priv. Arthur E. McGlone, L Company, Ninth Infantry.
 Priv. James S. Stewart, C Company, First Corps Cadets.

The above team was selected, after a very brief period of practice, by trials at the Wakefield Range, aided in most cases by knowledge gained of the men in previous years.

The team proceeded to Sea Girt on August 17, in charge of Capt. K. A. Burnham, team captain, and after one week's prac-

tice entered the various competitions, both team and individual, held under the auspices of the National Rifle Association, the New York State Rifle Association and the New Jersey Rifle Association.

EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF CAPT. K. A. BURNHAM.

The members of the team made a very creditable showing, winning 78 prizes in the 20 individual matches entered, of which 3 were first prizes, 7 second prizes and 7 third prizes. Priv. J. S. Stewart won prizes in 11 matches, Sergt. P. S. Schofield in 9 and Capt. S. W. Wise in 8.

The following places won by Massachusetts men are also worthy of note: —

- Capt. S. W. Wise, second, Roger's match; second, New York State Rifle Association match.
- Priv. J. S. Stewart, second, Leech cup match; second, individual Palma match; third, Swiss match.
- Sergt. F. H. Kean, first, Swiss match; second, Remington-U. M. C. match.
- Sergt. A. L. Woodworth, second, Hayes match.
- Sergt. R. K. Conant, third, Roger's match.
- Sergt. P. S. Schofield, first, Gould rapid fire match; third, Remington-U. M. C. match.
- Col. J. D. Upton, first, N. R. A. members' match; third, N. R. A. rapid fire match.
- Capt. J. E. Parker, second, officers' and inspectors' match; third, Leech cup match.
- Priv. J. F. Loughlin, third, Libby trophy match; third, Sea Girt championship.
- Capt. P. B. Chase, third, range officers' match.

The scores made at the long ranges in certain designated matches counted for the grand aggregate, and were to be used as the basis for the selection of a Palma team. Private Stewart tied for second place in this aggregate, and led the field in the Palma tryout. Had the European war not prevented a Palma match this year six of the twelve men representing the United States — Stewart, Schofield, Lawless, Loughlin, Kean and Wise would have been Massachusetts men.

The following places were won by Massachusetts teams: —

- McAlpin trophy match, first prize.
- Sadler trophy match, first prize.
- Enlisted men's team match, first prize.
- Spencer 1,200 yards, silhouette match, first prize.
- Dryden trophy match, fourth prize.
- Cruikshank trophy match won by Fifth Regiment team, first prize.

In the enlisted men's match the Massachusetts team established a world's record of 291 out of a possible 300, shooting at 600 yards on a 16-inch bull's-eye.

In commenting on the showing of the Massachusetts team in the Sadler match, which was won for the third consecutive time, it was said: "The Bay State men, not satisfied with adding one point last year to the world's Palma record of 1,720, forged to the front like a winning varsity eight, and with pairs working together like well-oiled machinery were not satisfied until they had boosted the record twelve points to 1,732." As a matter of record I insert the individual scores:—

	800.	900.	1,000.	Total.
Sergt. F. H. Kean,	73	74	73	220
Sergt. P. S. Schofield,	70	74	69	213
Capt. S. W. Wise,	72	72	71	215
Capt. J. E. Parker,	68	74	72	214
Sergt. J. T. Lawless,	75	74	69	218
Priv. J. S. Stewart,	75	72	73	220
Lieut. F. R. Daniels,	73	69	71	213
Sergt. A. L. Woodworth,	75	74	70	219
	581	583	568	1,732

On September 3 the national divisional individual match brought out a field of 109 competitors in which Sergt. F. J. Cunningham and Priv. J. F. Loughlin won bronze medals by finishing fifth and seventh, respectively.

In the national divisional match the Massachusetts team took a lead of 7 points over its nearest opponent in the first stage, 300 yards, slow fire, and never relinquished its position in first place during the seven stages of the competition. When the last shot had been fired at 300 yards rapid fire Massachusetts was found to be the winner by a margin of 61 points. As a matter of record I insert the scores made by the teams competing in the several divisional matches:—

Massachusetts,	3,717
United States Marine Corps,	3,656
New York,	3,643
Mississippi,	3,598
District of Columbia,	3,598
New Jersey,	3,586
Tennessee,	3,583
United States Army, eastern division,	3,571
West Virginia,	3,548
Florida,	3,523
Arizona,	3,514
North Carolina,	3,511

United States Army, central division,	3,500
Kansas,	3,472
Alabama,	3,456
Indiana,	3,423
Kansas State Agricultural College,	2,939
Georgia (disqualified),	3,600

This report would be incomplete without some expression of the exemplary conduct and *esprit de corps* manifested by each and every member of the team. Particular mention should be made of the very efficient services rendered by Lieut. Frederick R. Daniels, acting as team coach, and the hearty co-operation of Sergeants Keane, Schofield and Woodworth, who assisted materially in the coaching, and acted as spotters in the final competition.

In conclusion I desire to express personally, and in behalf of every member of the team, our sincere regret that the Regulations governing this year's match prevented you from acting as team captain. The manner in which the team acquitted itself, however, is a most fitting testimonial of the interest you have taken and the time you have spent in raising the standard of rifle shooting in the Militia of the Commonwealth to its present high state of efficiency.

It would, however, be misleading to conclude that so short a season of preparation would be sufficient for the usual campaign of the Massachusetts team for a national match, for this year it was apparent that none of the organizations represented at Sea Girt had been as thoroughly trained as has been their wont in past years. The strenuous training given Massachusetts teams in the several preceding seasons had much to do in making it possible, in spite of eliminations, to put a team so creditable to the State into the competitions with so little work.

J. D. UPTON,
Colonel.

REPORT OF THE SURGEON GENERAL.

DECEMBER 30, 1914.

1. REORGANIZATION.

Probably the most important matter to be taken up is the question of reorganization. There has been considerable correspondence and many conferences on this matter, but several questions still remain unsettled, namely, whether or not Massachusetts is in the five or eight regiment class (upon the decision of this question will depend the number of commissioned officers to be assigned to this department), and the minimum peace strength of the army for all sanitary troops, the basis by which our maximum is fixed. The Table of Organizations (organized militia) gives the minimum that the War Department will recognize, but this minimum for the Ambulance Company and Field Hospital is insufficient to enable these two organizations to perform their respective duties.

When the maximum commissioned and enlisted personnel has been decided upon it is hoped that the chief surgeon will have more jurisdiction over the medical officers than he now has. At the present time commanding officers are responsible for the training and equipping of Hospital Corps men assigned to them, and only recently were also responsible for the mustering and warranting of these men. Chapter 376, Acts of 1914, authorizes medical officers to muster, and recent orders from your office have directed commanding officers to return existing warrants in order that legal ones may be issued by the Surgeon General.

It is recommended that all duties of medical officers be prescribed by this office, except when they are on duty in the field, when they will come under direct control of the commanding officers of the organizations to which they are assigned. This applies to instruction of commissioned and enlisted personnel, physical examination of recruits, which matter is spoken of elsewhere in this report, the administration of antityphoid prophylactic, and the yearly examination of officers.

2. ANTITYPHOID PROPHYLACTIC.

This year the administration of antityphoid prophylactic has progressed so that now approximately 85 per cent. of the commissioned and enlisted personnel are immunized against typhoid fever. In 1913 but three visits to each company were authorized. On the second visit, as it was found that men were reporting for their first injection, an additional visit was authorized, making four to each company; in this way more men were reached than would have been otherwise.

If this question of inoculation had been handled by this office there would have been less trouble in the forwarding of records of each individual. At the close of the fiscal year there was considerable delay in the payment of bills on account of the failure of company commanders to forward these returns, but as the commanding officers of organizations were charged with arranging the time and details for this work, medical officers were unable to assist to any great extent, the records being left with company commanders, who failed to forward them.

This matter in the future should be arranged by this office as recommended in the paragraph under the head "Reorganization."

3. FIELD SCHOOLS.

In accordance with orders the medical officers reported for the annual field school at West Newbury on June 25. It was hoped that at least three United States medical officers (one for each course in the Service School for medical officers) would be detailed as instructors. We were able to obtain the services of but one, Maj. G. M. Ekwurzel, Medical Corps, U. S. A., who carried on the Service School work for medical officers during the winter. However, the Salem fire upset all the plans made for the school, and it was practically disbanded the night of the 25th.

4. EXAMINATION OF RECRUITS.

More care than ever is being used in the examination of recruits. Paragraph No. 6 of Form 64, The Adjutant General's office (report of physical examination blank) requires that commanding officers must receive permission from The Adjutant General to enlist men not up to the physical standard. By conforming with this clause the standard fixed by the regular army

is more effectively carried out, and this office has recommended that disabilities in seventy different cases be waived on account of the nature of each individual case, no waiver being recommended that would interfere with the performance of full duty.

There are still many cases where these orders are not obeyed, and this office has recommended the discharge of fifteen men who were mustered when not up to the physical standard, and where no application for waiver of defects had been made.

The present system of medical officers examining only companies of organizations to which they are assigned, irrespective of locality, is to be changed, and at your direction a plan is now being formulated whereby the State will save in the neighborhood of \$500 a year on mileage. Under the new arrangement examinations will be made by the officers whose residence is nearest the command, except where it would entail too much work for one officer, — in that case the next nearest officer will do the examining. This arrangement can very easily be made if the paragraph under the head of "Reorganization" in this report (to the effect that medical officers will be responsible to this office instead of to commanding officers) is adopted.

5. BOARD ON CLAIMS.

The Board on Claims, of which the Surgeon General is chairman, has considered fifteen claims during the year, recommending a total disbursement of \$520.45, as against \$2,964.10 during the year 1913. Two of the claimants failed to appear when ordered; one claim did not come within the jurisdiction of this Board; and another claim which would have entailed the expenditure of about \$1,400 was disallowed because the claimant failed to show that the disability was incurred in line of duty. One claim has been held in abeyance pending a civil suit against the party who was responsible for the claimant's injury. Should the claimant succeed in recovering damages the State will not be required to meet this expense of approximately \$90.

As recommended in my report of 1913, legislation was sought authorizing reimbursement to claimants for injuries incurred at drill. This was approved April 17, 1914, and one of the claims which was recommended for payment this year came under this new law.

6. ASSOCIATION OF MILITARY SURGEONS.

On account of limited funds but one officer was authorized to attend the annual convention of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States, which was held at Cincinnati, O. Much valuable information was received by him, and his report was forwarded to you and has resulted in correspondence regarding improvements that may be adopted in Massachusetts. It is hoped this coming year that as many officers as possible will be assigned for this important detail.

I renew my recommendation of 1913, that the monthly publication of this association be issued the medical officers of the M. V. M. The War Department is desirous of furnishing this publication as a charge against Federal funds. It is exceedingly valuable, particularly at this time when many matters concerning the work of the Medical Department abroad is being discussed. Many articles and much valuable information can be gleaned from this journal that is impossible to obtain elsewhere.

7. BOARD OF MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Three-year Examination of Officers. — One hundred and sixty officers have been examined during the year under General Orders, No. 32, The Adjutant General's office, 1913, which requires that all commissioned officers, except departmental officers, will be physically examined every three years. Of this number nine were found to be incapacitated.

Regular Examinations. — During the year the Board has physically examined 132 officers of the line, of whom 32 were rejected.

Three medical officers were examined physically and professionally for new commissions and promotions. One medical officer was ordered before the Board to ascertain his physical condition, was found incapacitated and was discharged from the service.

More Room. — The Board is somewhat hampered by insufficient room, and, as recommended in my report of 1913, it is hoped that when the office is moved the requirements of this Board will be borne in mind.

8. PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS BY SURGEON GENERAL.

The Surgeon General has examined but two applicants for State aid and three candidates for soldiers' homes during the year. In each case the nature of the disability has been reported.

9. PUBLICITY BOARD.

This Board, of which the Surgeon General is president, has given sixty illustrated lectures, and many not illustrated, during the year, at a total expense to the State of approximately \$1,603.09. From December 1, 1913, to June 1, 1914, the expense was \$1,144.15, and from June 1, 1914, to December 1, 1914, the cost was \$458.94. While the same necessity for this Board exists as when it was authorized by Special Orders, No. 194, 1913, it is more work than this office can properly handle with its present force. Much of the work contemplated could not be carried out on account of the Legislature refusing to appropriate \$1,000 which was asked for last year, and I recommend that if the work is to be continued, a sufficient appropriation be asked for, that I be relieved from this detail, and that the duty be assigned to some officer who has more time to devote to it.

10. SANITARY TROOPS IN THE COMMONWEALTH ARMORY.

I renew my recommendation of 1913 that Field Hospital No. 1 be given quarters in the Commonwealth Armory that will permit them to carry on practical winter work, to obtain experience in handling transportation, in loading and unloading, as well as familiarizing themselves with the contents of the various chests, bales, etc., and that specified hours be given them for the use of the ring with animals; that Ambulance Company No. 1 be assigned the ring at such times as are necessary for instruction of their enlisted men, and that sufficient area be provided to accommodate comfortably the proposed increase of commissioned and enlisted personnel of both units.

I also suggest that some arrangements be made, preferably at the Commonwealth Armory, whereby all the sanitary detachments with their assigned medical officers in this district may be permitted to drill together. With a battalion of infantry and a squadron of cavalry there are but 6 Hospital Corps men; with a Signal Corps, 2 men; and with a regiment, but 12 men. In many cases officers are forced to drill but three or four men a night; this work cannot be carried on successfully with such small numbers. Should this concentration be authorized we will have a provisional company of 60 men, and when we have conformed to Table of Organizations, 1914, F. S. R., a company of 84 men. I believe this plan will stimulate an esprit de corps and enthu-

siasm which should give an impetus to recruiting. It will enable Medical Officers in rotation to command a company instead of a possible squad or two, and add to the total of their knowledge gained by handling men.

Detachments of organizations not located near Boston, viz.: second Infantry, sixth Infantry, second Corps Cadets and Field Artillery will of necessity be compelled to drill detachments as formerly.

11. INSTRUCTION OF ENLISTED MEN.

In conformance to Circular No. 3, Department of Militia Affairs, 1914, the Hospital Corps men in the State are pursuing the course suggested for enlisted men, regardless of their length of service or the extent of their knowledge. This will provide Hospital Corps men all of whom must of necessity be familiar with the same subjects, and should need arise transfer could be made without impairment of the service. This course is being given under the supervision of Maj. Sanford H. Wadhams, Inspector-Instructor, with the assistance of Sergeant-Instructor Robert R. Weir.

12. INSPECTION OF PROPERTY WITH SANITARY UNITS AND DETACHMENTS.

Under special authorization from your office certain medical officers have inspected property for the various units and detachments of sanitary troops, and have reported to this office deficiencies and defects in equipment. The result of these inspections proves conclusively the need for frequent inspections of this sort during the year. This matter has never been given the attention it deserves, and I recommend that this office be authorized to make inspections not only of property but of personnel as frequently as may seem necessary. If the reorganization of this department as outlined in correspondence with your office, and in paragraph 1 of this report, could be put into effect there would be medical officers attached to this office who could be used for such inspections.

13. STATE INSPECTIONS.

As recommended some time ago, your office has authorized either the Surgeon General or some officer in the Medical Corps designated by him to accompany the United States officer making

the Federal inspections. An officer from the Medical Department acting for the Inspector General's Department will tend to increase efficiency, as such officers are presumed to know the conditions which should exist in the sanitary detachments.

14. UNITED STATES FORMS.

In order to acquaint medical officers with the United States method of accounting for property, all accountable officers will, beginning with January 1, 1915, make their annual returns of medical property on Forms 17, 17-A, 17-B and 17-C, Medical Department, United States Army. This department habitually makes use of United States forms because of their simplicity and for purpose of instructions.

15. ADDITIONAL ROOM FOR SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE.

I renew my recommendation of 1913 that additional room be provided for this office. A proper room should be provided for the examination of officers, a private office for the Surgeon General, one for a public office, and one for a storeroom, as the present conditions are unsatisfactory.

16. TEMPORARY INCREASE IN OFFICE FORCE.

On account of the increased work in this office in connection with reorganization, inoculations, instruction of medical officers by taking over the Service School work, the Publicity Board, the work of the board on claims, beside a steady increase in the regular work, the employment of a temporary stenographer has been made necessary. He was obtained for two weeks' service, but is now on his fourth week, and his employment may be necessary for some weeks longer.

17. SALARY OF SURGEON GENERAL.

The work of this office has increased so rapidly and to such an extent that it demands a great deal of time from the Surgeon General. Up to about a year ago it was necessary for the Surgeon General to spend at his desk only two hours a week, and one clerk was sufficient for office work. During the past year it has been necessary to employ two permanent clerks, and at times a third in a temporary capacity, while the Surgeon General has

appeared every day, and spent from one to four hours at his desk. This does not include field work and time given up to conferences, duty on special boards, informal inspections of units and detachments, and addresses conveying information regarding medical military work to medical societies. I believe the salary of \$1,200 is insufficient and should be increased to \$2,400.

FRANK P. WILLIAMS,
Colonel.

REPORT OF THE NAVAL BRIGADE.

BOSTON, February 24, 1915.

On the recommendation of the Surgeon General a hospital corps has been started by the senior surgeon, which has enabled us to get a better class of men in this branch of the service than was possible where the enlisted personnel was taken one from each division.

During the year headquarters and the Boston divisions have been removed from East Armory to rented quarters in the east end of Mechanics Building. These quarters are a great improvement over the East Armory, though they are much too small, the drill shed not being large enough for one company, and it is impossible to do any battalion work whatever, nor is there any chance for indoor rifle work.

The summer tour of duty was performed on the U. S. S. "Chicago," U. S. S. "Rodgers," U. S. S. "Dupont" and U. S. S. "Macdonough."

The naval militia bill has brought us into closer touch with the Navy Department, and the Navy Department is about to appoint a board to determine definitely the relations, and as soon as this board reports, much progress should be made.

The brigade at present has instructions aboard the U. S. S. "Chicago," U. S. S. "Dupont," and U. S. S. "Rodgers." The two latter are in such condition that they will require extensive repairs, and request has been made to the department for more modern small boats. It seems probable that four other and better torpedo boats will be supplied and the "Dupont" and "Rodgers" called in. It is also possible that the department will assign the U. S. S. "Alabama" for the instruction of the Massachusetts Naval Militia for use on the annual tour. If this vessel should come to us under right conditions it would probably be well to take out the entire brigade on this vessel, using only one torpedo boat for a despatch boat. If the department will put a sufficient number of commissioned officers aboard to give a thorough instruction in all the details it ought to be the best tour we have ever had.

Lieut. Comdr. R. A. Abernathy, U. S. N., has conducted a school for officers, with the idea that an examination should be taken next May in one of the subjects required by the Navy Department.

The subject of a school similar to that now conducted by the National Guard has been discussed, and detailed plans will be submitted during the coming year along the line of joint instruction by our officers and officers detailed by the department, having the students entirely detached from the companies in which they are enlisted, and assigned to duty with the school, receiving all of their instruction and doing all of their practical work as a school unit.

The school for officers will be maintained until all the officers have passed the examination required by the Navy Department. The school will then have to be modified to meet the requirements of the junior officers as they come in from time to time.

One of the most troublesome features of the past has been the feeding of the enlisted men. The new arrangements now in force, with a division of twelve men, mostly cooks and bakers, under the direct charge of the paymaster, will put the commissary arrangements all under one head where they can be best handled, and the result ought to be a satisfactory and economical feeding of the enlisted personnel.

D. M. GOODRIDGE.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL.

 BOSTON, December 31, 1914.

Owing to the fact that this department has been in an unsettled condition for some time, this report will necessarily be of a general character. The reports of the several inspectors on file in your office will furnish such further details as may be needed for your information. The following assignment of officers was made at the beginning of the current year:—

First Brigade Headquarters, . . .	Lieut. Col. J. F. Stevens.
Second Brigade Headquarters, . . .	Lieut. Col. J. F. Stevens.
Coast Artillery Corps, . . .	Lieut. Col. J. F. Stevens.
Second Regiment Infantry, . . .	Lieut. Col. F. R. Robinson.
Fifth Regiment Infantry, . . .	Maj. M. E. Smith.
Sixth Regiment Infantry, . . .	Lieut. Col. J. A. Cully.
Eighth Regiment Infantry, . . .	Maj. C. F. Sargent.
Ninth Regiment Infantry, . . .	Lieut. Col. G. H. Benyon.
First Battalion Field Artillery, . . .	Maj. C. F. Sargent.
First Squadron Cavalry, . . .	Lieut. Col. J. S. Barrows.
First Corps Cadets, . . .	Lieut. Col. J. S. Barrows.
Second Corps Cadets, . . .	Lieut. Col. F. R. Robinson.
Company A, Signal Corps, . . .	Lieut. Col. F. R. Robinson.
Field Hospital Company No. 1, . . .	Lieut. Col. G. H. Benyon.
Ambulance Company No. 1, . . .	Lieut. Col. G. H. Benyon.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS.

Headquarters is composed of a lot of hard-working, earnest and enthusiastic officers and men, and is entitled to the fullest support from the State authorities. Owing to the unfortunate stand taken by the War Department the corps has had no Inspector-Instructor since the camp of 1913. This has been a decided detriment to the command. Nothing has been done to remedy conditions in the quarters in the South Armory, referred to in previous reports, except the placing of radiators in the storeroom of the Medical Department. This room is not a fit place in which to store medical supplies and equipment. The completion of the

dummy armament in the South Armory enables the companies quartered therein, as well as the Cambridge and Chelsea companies, to avail themselves of these accessories in their drills, and the result is a marked improvement. The command as a whole shows improvement over last year. The lack of service practice during the annual tour of duty was a great disappointment to the entire command, owing to the fact that orders from the War Department prevented holding any such practice.

SECOND REGIMENT INFANTRY.

Headquarters is in a very satisfactory condition. Officers and noncommissioned officers are for the most part well fitted for the duties of their several positions. Attendance at inspections was generally very good, and the regiment as a whole is in good condition. At camp there were more men absent from drill than there should have been, many being outside the limits during drill periods and apparently without proper reason. There appears to be a certain lack of strictness of administration, which prevents the attainment of a higher degree of efficiency easily within its grasp. More disciplinary work by the field officers would be productive of desirable results.

FIFTH REGIMENT INFANTRY.

Headquarters is rated by the inspector as good. Field officers should make their visits to companies more effective by criticisms and suggestions, both in regard to drill and administration. Attendance at inspections was good. Ability of noncommissioned officers is only fair, and the note that no meetings were held for their grade during the year undoubtedly accounts for this deficiency. Meetings of commissioned officers were held but seldom for instruction, but usually to confer on administrative or social matters. At camp practically every officer and man received instruction, no shirking being noted. Too much baggage carried to camp, particularly by commissioned officers. Company kitchens and latrines reported particularly good. Work of the regiment was satisfactory.

SIXTH REGIMENT INFANTRY.

Headquarters is rated as very good, the field and staff being earnest and efficient. Attendance at inspections was satisfactory. The noncommissioned personnel seemed to lack ability to in-

struct, even if posted themselves. Majors should give closer supervision to the administration of their companies. This regiment is rated as very good. Nothing can be noted of the annual tour of duty because of the decease of the inspecting officer which occurred immediately after camp.

EIGHTH REGIMENT INFANTRY.

Headquarters is rated by the inspecting officer as being composed of capable and efficient officers, but the apparent lack of harmony that prevails prevents getting the desired results. Attendance at inspections was fair only. Failure of headquarters and one company to furnish a financial report to the inspecting officer, as well as inexcusable errors in two other companies, is very close to insubordination, and measures should be taken to prevent a repetition of such cases. Books and records, except the above, appear to be well kept. Alterations in the storerooms were being made at the time of the inspection, and the property was thereby improperly cared for. Since then conditions have improved. The general condition of the regiment appears to be satisfactory. The annual tour of duty was performed directly after ten days' duty at Salem, which accounts for the absences. Too many men were absent from drill instruction. The maneuvers were noted as good; the enlisted men showed fine interest in the work. Camp police and sanitation are reported as satisfactory. Work of the regiment as a whole is satisfactory.

NINTH REGIMENT INFANTRY.

Headquarters is rated by the inspector as very good. Attendance at armory inspections was very good, two companies with 100 per cent. of attendance, and one company with one officer absent, and he with leave. From the answers given it was plain that instruction in the care of the rifle, nomenclature — and in most companies in firing the prescribed courses — had been given close attention. Care of property generally was excellent. The general lack of noncommissioned officers to impart knowledge to others is noted. Recruits should be thoroughly instructed before being permitted to parade with their companies. Company fund books are not given the care they should have. As a whole, the regiment has made a distinct gain since last armory report, and its efficiency rated as very good. At the annual tour of duty the

attendance fell off appreciably. Drill improved daily, and showed progress during camp. Ceremonies showed marked improvement. Military courtesy was unsatisfactory, as well as attendance at roll calls. Sanitation generally was good, in two companies particularly so. The regiment is credited with a good tour of duty.

FIRST CORPS CADETS.

The attendance at armory inspections was very satisfactory. The care of property and uniforms and equipment is noticeably good. The interest shown in the practical use of rifle, its care, etc., is noted. Eighty-seven recruits were mustered in practically at the same time. The question naturally arises, Why not go out for more men of the same kind? The commissioned officers are referred to by the inspecting officer as a splendid lot of men, well informed and equipped, earnest students, and competent instructors. The organization is rated as very good. The work of this organization on its annual tour of duty is rated by the inspector from good to excellent. Sanitary and messing are excellent, but the establishment of company messes for instruction is recommended.

SECOND CORPS CADETS.

The attendance at the armory inspections of this organization was poor. The companies (excepting B) were too small for a captain to command. The inspector reports the military standard to be low; that the companies may be drilled, but are not instructed; that there is a marked slackness in courtesy and respect; that it would be better to unite two companies than to continue in the present fashion. The armory is in excellent condition and admirably cared for, and should be the nucleus for a first-class outfit. The annual tour of duty showed an improvement over armory inspections. Both maneuvers and ceremonies were generally good; improvement noted from day to day. Arms and equipment were in poor condition, and uniforms showed the hard wear that had been given them at the Salem fire. Sanitation was not given the attention it should have had, but improved after attention had been called to it. This command evidently needs the prompt attention and decisive administration of its officers if it is to hold its former rank in the State's forces.

FIRST BATTALION, FIELD ARTILLERY.

Headquarters is reported as being well equipped and instructed. From the reports of the inspector this battalion is on the whole in good condition. Attendance at inspection was good, property well cared for, and, barring a few missing parts, in good shape. Repainting the materiel would improve it very much. Revolver target practice in two batteries should be given the attention that is due such an important feature. The opportunity to take every chance to get mounted instruction possible is creditable. The battalion appears to be in very good condition. The annual tour of duty was reported as very good. Saddling and harnessing were very good; riding and signalling from good to excellent. Sanitation from good to excellent. Many officers are slow with the firing battery; naturally so, from lack of opportunity and practice. The inspector notes a lack of desire on the part of the lieutenants of one battery to co-operate with the battery commander, and states that it is a great drawback to the organization.

FIRST SQUADRON CAVALRY.

Headquarters is spoken of as a most enthusiastic set of officers, notwithstanding the inconvenient accommodations and the fact that it is the only branch of the service that is so handicapped. It appears to be marking time until proper quarters are provided for the four troops and headquarters. Property is well cared for. More time and effort should be given the recruit in the school of trooper. The uniforms are in good condition, clean and well fitting. The hats and shoes are a disgrace to the service, and the improvement does not rest with the troop commanders. More attention should be given the subject of guard duty, a most important thing, in case of public necessity. An equipment for farriers and for horseshoers should be provided for each troop. Attendance in two troops at inspection was very good; in the other two only fair. The inspector rates the squadron as being in good condition. The annual tour of duty was performed in Connecticut, at or near Hampton, in association with squadrons from Connecticut and Rhode Island, forming the Regiment of New England Cavalry, under command of Maj. Francis C. Marshall, U. S. A. This tour of duty showed a decided increase in the efficiency of the squadron. Discipline

was excellent. Attendance at roll calls was good. The quality of horses was poor, so far as service requirements are concerned. It is earnestly recommended that the tour of duty for 1915 be so arranged that it be by squadron and in the limits of this State, and that it follow the well-established course as outlined by the former cavalry instructor.

COMPANY A, SIGNAL CORPS.

Attendance at armory inspection was very good. Property is well cared for, discipline and military courtesy is good. This company has in its ranks some of the most practical men in the wireless, telephone and telegraph fields, as well as other men possessing valuable general knowledge of electrical work. At the annual tour of duty the riding and mounted drill of the company was not satisfactory. This was due principally to the fact that the horses were hired for that tour, were not of a suitable type nor well trained. With suitable horses this fault would be overcome. Stable duty was well done. More attention should be given to visual signalling. Radio stations were opened and closed in a satisfactory manner. The general police of the camp was satisfactory; the police of the kitchen was not at all times satisfactory. The deficiencies of this company seem to be the necessary evil of hired horses and harness. Remove this defect and the company would be ready in a very short time.

AMBULANCE COMPANY NO. 1 AND FIELD HOSPITAL NO. 1.

These subdivisions of the Medical Department are in good condition and reflect the hard work and thought given by their officers. The commanding officer of the Ambulance Company has been especially zealous in his efforts, and the inspector reports the annual tour of duty as being very satisfactory in all respects. The Field Hospital No. 1 performed its annual tour of duty in June, but no one in this department knew anything of it until over half the tour was finished.¹

It is with the deepest regret that it becomes necessary to note the death of a member of this department, Lieut. Col. James A.

¹ The annual tour of duty shows that in the future better arrangements should be made with regard to horses and horse transportation; that there are not enough persons to properly handle field hospital equipment; that the blue uniform for fatigue work and the white uniform for orderly work should be issued. The general instruction and discipline of the camp was good. Improvement could be made in the care of the picket line.

Cully, which occurred really while on duty. An officer and a gentleman, esteemed by all who knew him, for both his personal and military qualifications, his example was one which we all might emulate.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

That the requirements of Circular No. 16, War Department, Division of Militia Affairs, be put in force at once.

That the Coast Artillery Corps perform its annual tour of duty at points where service practice can be held.

That neither officers or enlisted men be permitted to act as armorers; that enlisted men so appointed be made post quartermaster sergeants.

G. H. BENYON,
Lieutenant Colonel.

REPORT OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER, FIRST BATTALION FIELD ARTILLERY.

Boston, February 15, 1915.

The work of the Battalion during the winter and spring was preparatory for the annual encampment. As usual, this preparatory training was much hampered by lack of facilities for training in horsemanship and in outdoor work. This lack was emphasized by the splendid results obtained by Battery C in its new armory at Methuen. During the winter and spring this battery was used constantly, on the drill ground and in the large tract of open land adjoining, the horses provided by the State, and made great strides in efficiency.

A detail consisting of five officers and twelve noncommissioned officers attended the United States field artillery school at Tobyhanna from June 15 to 30, inclusive.

By General Orders, No. 12, The Adjutant General's office, dated June 25, 1914, the battalion performed its annual tour of duty at West Barnstable July 18 to 25, inclusive, going and returning by train. The camp was situated on the borders of the Cotuit ponds in an almost ideal location. Target practice was held by the several batteries under the efficient supervision of Capt. Robert Davis, Inspector-Instructor, U. S. A., each officer being required to conduct one or more problems.

In addition to the target practice the chief work of this tour of duty was to train the several batteries in the practical field work of taking positions and conducting fire under all situations. For this purpose the batteries were used against each other in a series of encounters, sometimes being taken by surprise, sometimes taking carefully prepared positions. One of the batteries was required to take up a position and open fire at dawn against the camp of another battery, a problem which was of the greatest value both in the practice in night work and in the demonstration of the method of taking up such a position in the first light of the morning, before its movements could be seen at any distance.

Each battery was required to make one practice march and to make one shelter tent camp.

On the last day of the encampment a competition was held between sections from the several batteries for the possession of the Knox trophy, which was won by Battery C.

The number of enlisted men who qualified as gunners during the year are: Battery A, 16; Battery B, 8; Battery C, 22; total, 46.

The battalion commander calls attention to the fact that the land at West Barnstable is practically the last remaining location for a proper field artillery range, and recommends earnestly that consideration be given to the purchase or taking of the great marshes and sand dunes. Were such taking to be made, it is probable that the railroad would add spur track to their equipment, which would do away with the necessity for night travel and make camp at West Barnstable an almost ideal field artillery location.

JOHN H. SHERBURNE,
Major.

REPORT OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER, FIRST SQUADRON CAVALRY.

Boston, February 6, 1915.

The armory instruction was carried on during the instruction period in accordance with the course laid down in General Orders, The Adjutant General's office, and the recommendations of Maj. F. C. Marshall, Inspector-Instructor.

The riding instruction was given in as efficient manner as was possible under the circumstances, the interest in the mounted exhibition adding materially to the enthusiasm of the men in this important part of their instruction. This exhibition was held in May, and was very successful.

All but two of the officers and a majority of the noncommissioned officers of the squadron attended the school held for the officers and noncommissioned officers of the First Cavalry District at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., in June, Maj. F. C. Marshall, Inspector-Instructor, in charge of the school. The majority of the noncommissioned officers attended through the liberality of the troops, who paid for their transportation and subsistence.

The value of the training received at this school, particularly for the noncommissioned officers, was proved by the improvement in riding and care of horses at the camp in August.

Outdoor rendezvous drills were held by each troop, the troops going out and pitching camp, sending out outposts and holding skirmish drills dismounted, and the value of these was proved in the ease with which the regular camps and bivouac camps were made at the August camp.

The regular camp of instruction was held at Hampton, Conn., as a joint maneuver camp from August 8 to 16, inclusive, in connection with a squadron from the Second Cavalry and the troops from the States of Rhode Island and Connecticut, under the command of Major Marshall, Inspector-Instructor.

A large part of the horses were again obtained from the New York National Guard cavalry, and they were delivered to the squadron at Hampton and returned from the same place.

The outdoor rifle fire instruction was somewhat delayed through various causes and the late date of holding the summer camp.

The squadron competition was held September 12, and was run very smoothly, the entire match being shot before 1 P.M. This was won by Troop C.

CHARLES A. SCHMITZ,
Major.

REPORT OF THE ACTING CHIEF OF ENGINEERS.

Boston, January 1, 1915.

Matters receiving the attention of the Department of Engineering upon which written reports have been submitted during the year are as follows: —

Location of rifle ranges, Newton, Waltham, Natick and South Framingham.

Topographical military plans, northeast Massachusetts and southeast New Hampshire, covering 900 square miles (Special Orders, No. 38).

Specifications pertaining to field work on special maps.

Contract with Sprague Hathaway Company for photographic enlargements.

Professional services with report to Ordnance Department (Special Orders, No. 71, extract).

Water supply report, location plan of terrain, Assawumpsett Pond, Lakeville (Special Orders, No. 82½, extract).

Map of mobilization camp, war strength, for Division of Militia Affairs, War Department.

Report to Quartermaster General on sanitary measures (Special Orders, No. 96, The Adjutant General's office).

Report from examination of suggested small arms range (Special Orders, No. 184, extract).

Range work received usual attention.

Number of special communications acted upon, 51.

CHRISTOPHER HARRISON,

Major.

REPORT OF THE SIGNAL OFFICER.

Boston, January 19, 1915.

The year has been one of interest and value to the Signal Corps in many ways. Recruiting has been carried on more effectively than ever before. The class of men who seek military service in the corps is constantly improving, and the men we have been enlisting are coming to us with a preliminary training for the work. We have experienced no difficulty in getting all the men we have needed to promote the proper growth of the company. Care is exercised to select only those men whose previous training indicates that they will profit by the instruction given them.

The technical equipment is in first-class condition, and with a few minor additions, which can be made at short notice, is sufficient for field service. The deficiencies noted in the reports of the United States inspecting officers can be supplied with the exception of mounts, and this difficulty we hope will disappear with the completion of the new armory on Commonwealth Avenue. From February until after the annual tour of duty in July we had with us as Sergeant-Instructor a sergeant from the regular establishment. The results of his work have been all that could be desired. We are highly gratified that the War Department is to continue the plan, and has sent us another sergeant who will be with us for at least a year. The work of instruction is being carried on in a logical and consistent manner, and we look for results which will be satisfactory to you and the War Department.

The following schools are in operation: Telegraph school, under First Class Sergeant Powers, U. S. A., four nights a week; radio school, under First Lieutenant Gawler one night each week; officers' school, under Capt. Robert Davis, Field Artillery, U. S. A., and the chief signal officer once a month; correspondence school, under the signal officer of the Division of Militia Affairs, with papers once a month. During the past year similar schools were conducted with the exception of the officers' school.

In June the chief signal officer and First Lieutenant Edwards attended the service school for militia signal officers at Fort Leavenworth. The work was of great value to us, and it is hoped that the school can become an annual affair. The attendance at drills and ordered tours of duty has been satisfactory. I note with satisfaction that many employers are giving their Militia men permission to attend the annual tour of duty without loss of pay or vacation time. This is especially true of the Edison Illuminating Company. The work done at the Lakeville camp in July, although satisfactory in many respects, emphasizes the need of more instruction for the officers of the line in the use of signal troops.

The following officers have completed the work of the first year in the correspondence school for Militia signal officers, and hold certificates from the War Department: Capt. Harry G. Chase, First Lieut. Frank P. Edwards and First Lieut. S. Stewart Smith.

During the year we lost one officer by death, First Lieut. Everett C. Dodge. Lieutenant Dodge's scientific training made his work with us of great value.

I invite your consideration of the following matters:—

1. The recognition of aviation as a proper part of the training of the Militia and a plan by which this training may be secured.
2. The formation of a reserve to include those soldiers who have made good records while in the Militia, and who would be available in time of need.
3. A plan by which the officers of the line may be instructed in the use of auxiliary troops.
4. The establishment of a school for noncommissioned officers of signal troops at Fort Leavenworth, similar to those which have been conducted with so much success for Militia signal officers, to which may be sent for a period of ten days certain noncommissioned officers to be selected on a basis of service and efficiency.

HARRY G. CHASE,
Captain.

REPORT OF THE COMMANDANT, THE TRAINING SCHOOL, M. V. M.

DECEMBER 31, 1914.

As a report from the executive officer in charge of the Training School was not called for or submitted at the end of the year 1913, it is proper that I should cover the period from the opening session of the school, August 30, 1913, until the end of that calendar year, as well as the period indicated by the date of this report.

The school was established by General Orders, No. 21, The Adjutant General's office, series of 1913, and the opening session was held on the State camp ground, South Framingham, Mass., on August 30 and 31 and September 1 of that year. The total number of appointments which had been made to the school was 94, and of that number 86 reported and registered.

Courses of instruction were conducted in the following subjects, and where not otherwise noted were in charge of Captain Stewart: infantry drill, calisthenics, voice culture, physical development of recruits, care of arms, clothing, equipments, etc., personal hygiene, Capt. William C. Tenney, Medical Corps, special lecturer; military character, habits, discipline, etc., General Pew; military courtesy (theoretical), military courtesy (practical), military correspondence, Lieutenant Colonel Stover; Army and Organized Militia Regulations (selected paragraphs), map reading, Small-arms Firing Regulations, military law (courts martial). Besides the work done at the indoor sessions and at the camps each cadet submitted twenty-nine weekly recitations by mail in the course of the academic year.

The summer camp of instruction was held at Plattsburg Barracks, New York, the station of the Fifth United States Infantry, from June 17 to 24, 1914, both dates inclusive, the first and last days of this tour of duty being spent in travel in going to and returning from Plattsburg.

At this time the number of cadets in the school had become reduced from 86, the original number, to 46 by the following casualties: commissioned in the volunteer militia, 8; entered the

United States Military Academy, West Point, N. Y., 1; resigned, 10; discharged, 21; total casualties, 40.

Of the 46 members of the "Class of 1915" all but one attended the Plattsburg camp of instruction, the single absentee being prevented from attendance by reason of serious illness in his family.

The program of instruction was in charge of Captain Stewart, Fifth United States Infantry, who was assisted by several of the officers at the post and by the officers accompanying the school.

The program of instruction was eminently practical, and the cadets had the benefit of expert supervision, the latest model equipment, and personal instruction by officers who are specialists in their respective subjects. The cadets camped on the post with Company G, Fifth United States Infantry, an experimental company of full war strength (150 men), which had been receiving special intensive training for a year under Captain Stewart. Thus the two organizations, — one of the army and the other of the organized militia, — to the special training of which Captain Stewart had been devoting his best efforts for a year, were, at the end of that period, brought together side by side, and for a week followed a more or less common schedule of instruction.

The first day was occupied in drills in close and extended order, and by individual instruction in first aid. On the second day the cadets formed one company in a battalion drill in close order, and later were given special instruction in combat principles over natural ground, followed by instruction in the adjustment and use of the new infantry pack and in pitching and striking the pyramidal tent. The class, formed as a company, had the honor of participating in the evening parade of the Fifth United States Infantry, taking the place of a company which was absent from the post at a National Guard encampment.

On the third day the regular Saturday morning inspection was in progress at the post, and the cadets, divided into small parties, first witnessed the inspection of the companies in ranks, and afterwards accompanied the company commanders at the inspection of quarters, etc. The barracks and company storerooms were visited, and all the details of barrack routine and discipline, and the items of company equipage, their use and preservation, were explained in detail. In the afternoon a similar visit was paid to the offices, mess hall, kitchens, hospital, bakery, quartermaster's and commissary's storehouses, stables, guardhouse, post exchange,

gymnasium, etc., and the management and routine of an army post was explained and illustrated.

On the fourth day a practice march was made along the shore of Lake Champlain to a point about five miles from the post and return. The cadets were severally equipped with new infantry pack, including the latest pattern of shelter half. At noon a halt of two hours was made, and a shelter tent camp pitched on the lake front, after which instruction was given by noncommissioned officers of Company G, Fifth United States Infantry, in the individual cooking of the field ration.

The morning of the fifth day was devoted to instruction in the laying out and construction of field intrenchments. The cadets visited the various full-sized models of standing trenches, cover trenches and communicating trenches which had been constructed by the Fifth United States Infantry, and listened to a detailed explanation of their preparation and use. Afterwards the cadets were divided into squads, each under the personal supervision of a noncommissioned officer of Company G, Fifth United States Infantry, and manufactured some very creditable gabions, fascines and hurdles. In the afternoon the machine gun detachment of the Fifth United States Infantry gave a demonstration of its work, including packing, maneuvering, going into action, and firing with ball ammunition, both over the lake, where the effects of the fire were plainly visible, and afterwards at the targets on the rifle range. Each detail of the exhibition was explained and illustrated.

The sixth and last day of actual work was devoted to the working out of a problem in attack and defense in a field about three miles from the post, where a long section of standing trench had been previously constructed by the regular troops for purposes of instruction. The cadets of the Training School, formed as a company, were assigned to the defense and occupied the trench which was attacked by Company G, Fifth United States Infantry, mustering full war strength. The defensive position commanded a view of a vast area of broken ground over which the attacking force advanced, and each hostile movement was explained to the cadets as it occurred. Special attention was paid to the dividing up of the target and to fire control. Altogether it was a most vivid and practical demonstration.

The above summary does not include the daily routine of camp, including formations, calisthenics, etc., in which the cadets were exercised.

Col. Charles G. Morton, commanding the Fifth United States Infantry, and the post commander at Plattsburg Barracks, formerly Inspector-Instructor of the Massachusetts Militia, left nothing undone to make the visit of the school at his post both profitable and enjoyable. To his wise suggestions was due much of the practical value of the instruction given, and to his thoughtfulness and personal attention the Training School cadets owe most of the delightful recollections which will ever be associated in their minds with the name of Plattsburg. To acknowledge in detail all the courtesies and hospitalities extended to the officers and cadets while at the post would necessitate the inclusion of a roster of the Fifth United States Infantry, in this report. I would record the lasting debt of gratitude which the Training School will ever owe to Capt. Merch B. Stewart, not only for his tireless efforts at the Plattsburg camp, which terminated his active connection with the school as its principal instructor, but for his work throughout the year, whereby he laid the foundations of the school on the substantial footings of his great experience as a military instructor, his contagious example of energy and zeal, his wonderful vitality and attractive personality. It is, indeed, most fortunate that the school has been privileged to be guided in its first steps toward a useful and prosperous year by one so well qualified to shape its policies as Captain Stewart.

The records of the school show that the time actually devoted to personal instruction during the academic year of 1913-14, exclusive of rest periods, meals, etc., was one hundred and twenty-two hours. This does not include the time employed in the preparation of recitations at home. The number of hours devoted to work at the indoor sessions aggregated 81. This is the equivalent of 54 armory drills, so that each cadet, if he attended punctually at his company drills during the year, as well as pursued the work of the school, and if he shall continue to follow both school and company work to the end of the second year, will have had the equivalent of four and one-half years' drill and training in the course of his two years' connection with the school.

Quite a radical change in the system of administration was directed in General Orders, No. 16, The Adjutant General's office, dated August 25, 1914, the new policies being suggested by the experiences of the first year of the school. With the publication of the above-cited orders I assumed full charge of the management of the school, assisted by First Lieut. Augustus P. Coleman, Company A, Fifth Infantry, M. V. M., who was de-

tailed as adjutant and acting quartermaster and commissary. Lieutenant Coleman devotes all his time in business hours, and frequently many hours that properly belong to him, to attending to the details of management, but is principally occupied with the examination and correction of recitation papers. The latter task is most arduous as well as of the utmost importance, and Lieutenant Coleman has accomplished it, up to the present time, with promptness, care and accuracy.

The opening session of the second academic year was held at the State camp ground, South Framingham, Mass., on September 5, 6 and 7, 1914. Of the class of 1915, 36 reported and were promoted to the senior class. The number of appointments made to the entering class was 110, and of this number 106 appeared and registered. The program was carried out under the supervision of the commandant, of Capt. Ralph McCoy, U. S. A., and of First Lieut. John R. McGinness, U. S. A.

Indoor sessions have been held at the State Armory, Charlestown, Mass., on October 10 and 11, November 14 and 15, and December 12 and 13. Officers detailed as instructors and assistant instructors do not attend regularly at the sessions of the school, but come in when scheduled to lecture on the topic assigned to them. Thus, while the academic staff of the school may appear large in numbers, the number of officers on duty at a given time is much smaller than formerly.

In November, First Lieut. Benjamin E. Grey, Infantry, U. S. A., reported to Massachusetts as an additional Inspector-Instructor, having been detailed by the War Department with special reference to the needs of the Training School. Lieutenant Grey has been placed in charge of the drills and calisthenics, and is also to conduct the course in "Organization and Material."

The course of instruction established for the second academic year is as follows: Senior class: minor tactics, including service of information; patrolling; message writing; advance, rear and flank guards, combat, elements of field artillery and cavalry; troops in campaign, including marches, camping, supply, etc.; military administration, including paper work; company interior economy, and Army Regulations, selected parts; military deportment and etiquette; customs of the service; military field engineering; elements of military sketching; elements of military law; aid to the civil authorities; practice in exercising command by participation in infantry drill with the junior class; calis-

thenics and saber drill. Junior class: method of study and analysis taught by a critical study and demonstration of the Infantry Drill Regulations; interior guard duty; Small-arms Firing Regulations; organization and material; care of clothing, arms and equipment; basis of military character, habits and discipline; military courtesy; military correspondence; map reading and the use of military maps; physical standards; personal hygiene, — general, and special of the teeth and feet; calisthenics and voice culture; first aid; infantry drill as an exercise in promptness and accuracy in responding to commands.

I do not feel ready to make any recommendations at the present time, as nearly every method and policy now in use is experimental, and it is best to wait until the end of the academic year before undertaking to form a judgment as to their utility. It is enough to remark that, in general, we appear to be following the right course. Our experiences in the first academic year suggested many important points in connection with methods of instructions which have been adopted, and which have resulted in our ability to give the junior class a more thorough training in many respects than we were able to give the present senior class during its first year. We expect to work similar improvements next year in the courses then to be taken up by the present junior class. It must be always borne in mind that this school is absolutely unique, and is working out its system without the benefit of any model.

I feel, however, that I should call the attention of the Commander-in-Chief to the power he possesses to further the good work of this school, through the use of his influence and authority to induce or compel the company commanders to make suitable appointments to the school year by year. There was little to complain of this year in this respect, but it is to be noted that some company commanders either cannot or will not make the required appointment. It is to be added that the appointee from Company G, Fifth Infantry, in 1913, did not report to the school, so that the following companies have never had any representation on its rolls: Company G, Fifth Infantry; Companies A and E, Sixth Infantry; Company H, Ninth Infantry; and the Fourth and Tenth Companies, Coast Artillery Corps.

On the other hand, some of the captains are so keen and alive to the advantages offered by the school that, by securing from the regimental commander one or more of the cadetships-at-large,

they have succeeded in getting a representation in the school beyond the contemplated number. These companies are as follows:—

	Seniors.	Juniors.	Total.
Company C, Second Infantry, . . .	2	3	5
Company F, Second Infantry, . . .	1	3	4
Company A, Fifth Infantry, . . .	1	3	4
Company C, Eighth Infantry, . . .	1	3	4
Company E, Eighth Infantry, . . .	1	2	3
Company G, Ninth Infantry, . . .	2	2	4
Seventh Company, Coast Artillery Corps, .	1	5	6

From published reports and records I find that the foregoing companies all stand high in their rating for general efficiency. It is significant to me, and an indorsement of the Training School, that these particularly efficient companies seek for and obtain more than their share of cadetships. But the point to which I desire to call attention is this, — that the purpose of the Training School is to disseminate its benefits throughout the Militia, and it is not accomplishing its full mission if some companies are unrepresented while others have more than their quota. I suggest that it is possible for every captain in the Militia to find one suitable man at least who can and will take this course of training, even if it is necessary to enlist a man with this special end in view, and that some pressure should be applied to enforce compliance with this requirement.

I cannot complain of the quality of the men who are appointed this year. Up to December 31 there have been but twelve casualties in the junior class, and most of these have been for obviously good reasons, such as removal from the Commonwealth, change in business, etc. It seems that the time must come when each appointee to the school shall be required to look ahead over the course, and refrain from undertaking the work unless he is fairly certain that he will continue until graduation. I refer to several cases in which the cadets, honestly enough, started in at the beginning of the year, and, after a few weeks, came to the conclusion that they could not spare the time from their business to continue the work. Thus each of these cadets barred some other man from the benefits of the course and deprived his company

of representation. This can easily be avoided by each appointing officer, if he will talk the matter over seriously with the proposed appointee before sending in the name. Of course there will be cases of sickness and unexpected changes in residence and business, which every one will recognize as unfortunate but valid reasons for discontinuing work with the school, but these need not be frequent.

As to the statement that has been made by various captains, that "I have a good man who will probably be the next officer in the company, but he hasn't time to go to the school," I would say that such a man is an unpromising candidate for a lieutenantcy, if the captain expects much assistance from him. The requirements of the school in the way of time are far less exacting than those of a subaltern's commission if the latter is honest and means to pull his share of the load. I have watched with interest several of the present seniors who, to my personal knowledge, are very busy men, holding responsible positions, and I notice that they find time to do all the work of the school and do it well. I therefore conclude that the average man who cannot find time to take this course has some other interest apart from his business which is dearer to his heart than the military game. Such men may make passable soldiers, but they are not the men we wish for officers; and through their attitude to the Training School we may be able to detect men of this type before they take a commission and drop it again after shirking their duties for a year or two.

I wish to acknowledge with gratitude the active and enthusiastic co-operation of Captain McCoy, and Lieutenants McGinness and Grey in the work of the school; also to express my appreciation of the interest and zeal of the entire academic staff in carrying out the portions of the work assigned to them respectively.

WILLIS W. STOVER,

Lieutenant Colonel, Fifth Infantry, M. V. M.

THE REPORT OF THE ACTING SECRETARY OF THE ARMORY COMMISSION.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., December 1, 1914.

On December 31, 1913, an appropriation of \$18,000 was made for the purpose of acquiring 7,200 square feet of land on Union Street, Springfield, and erecting thereon an addition to the armory, for which purpose a further appropriation was made in April. The contract was awarded in June to Daniel O'Connell's Sons of Holyoke, and the building is rapidly nearing completion.

In February the contract for the Clinton Armory was awarded to J. P. Keating of Westborough; the building was accepted in October and will be dedicated on December 30.

In March an appropriation of \$60,000 was made for the purpose of acquiring land and building an addition to the Fitchburg Armory, which appropriation was increased in May by \$10,000. The contract was awarded May 26 to E. A. Peabody & Son of Lawrence, and the building was completed and accepted on December 2, 1914.

In March the Commission purchased additional land on the corner of Bacon and East Main Street, Orange, adjacent to the armory, for a drill ground.

The armory at Adams was completed April 12, but at the solicitation of the citizens of Adams the commissioners recommended changes in the building as constructed, and in July a further appropriation of \$10,000 was made for this purpose. These changes have been made with satisfactory results.

On May 20 the plans for the armory for mounted arms, to be erected on Commonwealth Avenue, Allston, were approved by the Governor and Council; bids were received on June 9, and the contracts awarded in July, as follows: J. J. Prindiville Company, South Framingham, general contract; Bay State Heating Company, Boston, heating contract; Lord Electric Company, Boston, electrical work.

This will be a fireproof building of brick and stone of modern Gothic architecture, and is arranged to house the Signal Corps, Field Hospital, No. 1 and Ambulance Company No. 1, a squadron of cavalry, Battery A, and headquarters for the field artillery battalion. The main riding hall is 175 by 300 feet, and the troops will be quartered in a headhouse on the south and east sides of this hall. At the rear of the main riding hall there is a smaller riding hall, 100 by 260 feet. Opening from this and from the large hall will be three stables to accommodate fifty horses each. Two of the stables will have large basements for storage or for additional stalls. The basement of the main building will be used on the front corner for recreation purposes, and along the side for the company storerooms and transport wagons. In the sub-basement are located the main heating plant, two pistol ranges and two rifle ranges. The building is being erected on the site purchased by the Commonwealth in November, 1912, and should be completed before the close of the year 1915.

In October the "model armory" plans for the Concord Armory were approved by the Governor and Council; bids will be received and the contract will be let in December of this year.

Under chapter 665 of the Acts of 1912 the Armory Commissioners are required to construct armories until the Volunteer Militia shall be provided with adequate quarters. Under the same act they may construct, remodel, enlarge or otherwise improve existing armories, if in their judgment the needs of the service demand it.

The commissioners respectfully recommend construction of new armories in 1915 as follows, viz.: Naval Brigade armory at Boston; Naval Brigade boathouse at New Bedford; Naval Brigade boathouse at Fall River; Naval Brigade boathouse at Lynn; one-company armory at Woburn; one-company armory at Taunton; which will complete the list of new armories required to properly house all of the existing Militia.

The commissioners further recommend that an addition be made to the existing Cambridge Armory, so as to provide for the additional troops that must be housed there.

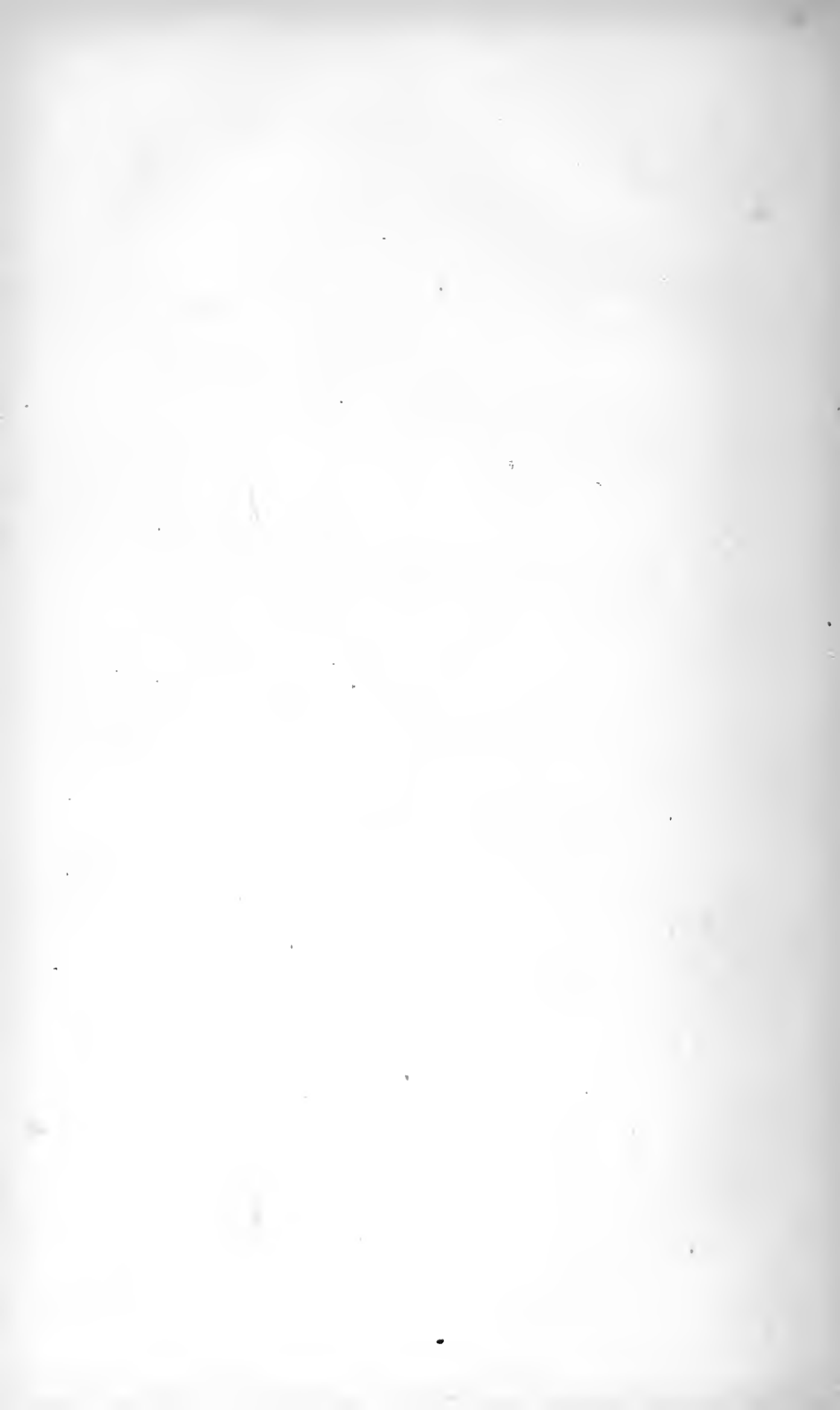
GEO. HOWLAND COX,
Acting Secretary.

List of First-class Armories now owned by the Commonwealth.

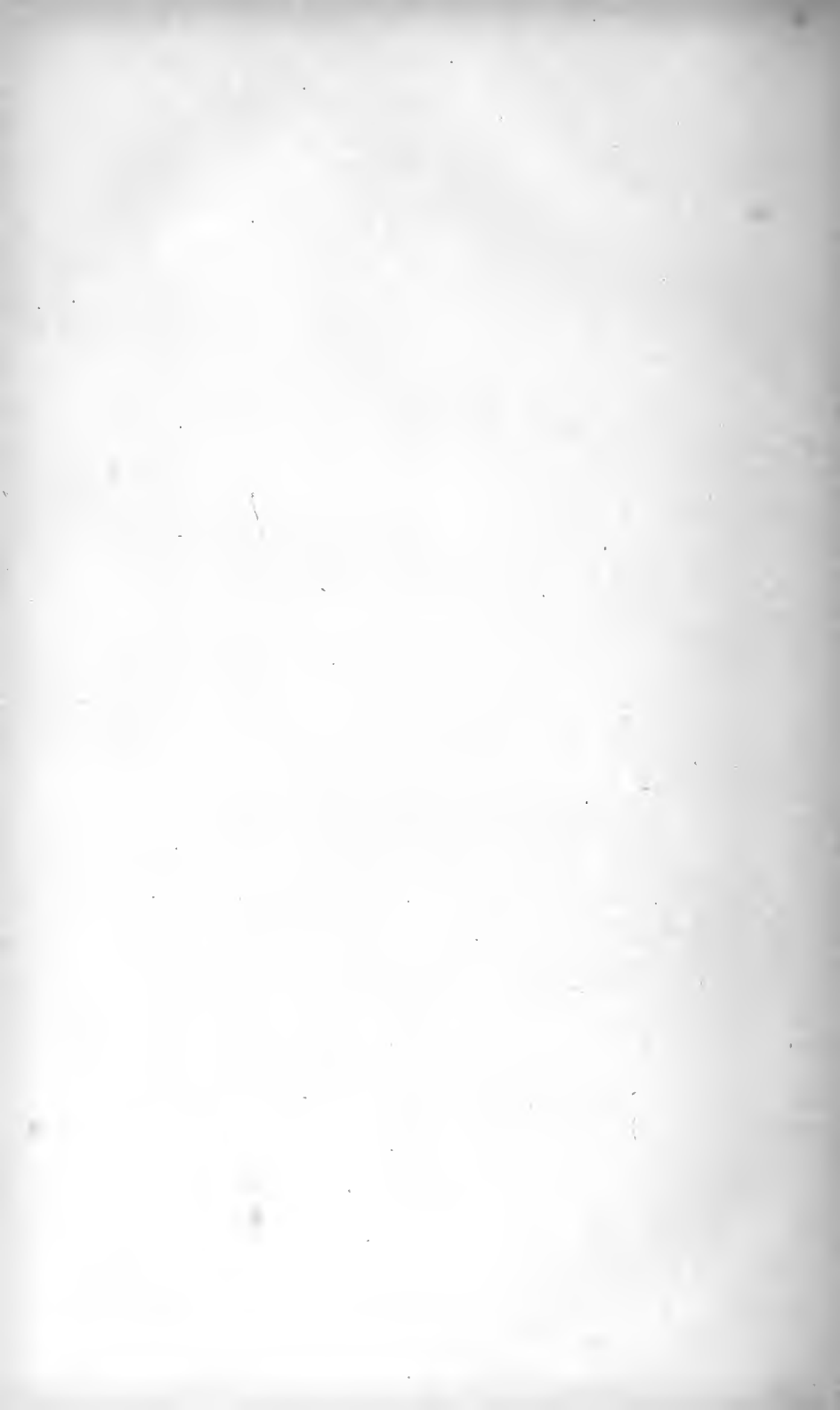
ARMORIES.	Com- pleted.	Appro- priation.	Cost.		
			Land.	Building.	Furnish- ing.
Attleboro,	1910	\$52,000	\$5,000	\$44,289 98	\$2,168 08
Adams,	1914	67,000	5,000	-	1,142 25
Boston, South Armory, . . .	1889	830,000	{ 84,181	300,000 00	-
Boston, East Armory, . . .	1889		{ 42,478	289,405 00	-
Brockton,	1906	39,000	500	37,566 81	922 93
Cambridge,	1903	179,000	22,000	150,072 71	6,768 40
Commonwealth,	-	773,500	170,000	-	-
Charlestown,	1908	200,000	38,650	153,395 54	7,454 46
Chelsea,	1909	65,000	15,047	45,695 89	2,568 27
Concord,	-	55,000	1,500	-	-
Clinton,	1914	65,000	5,000	-	1,661 23
Fall River,	1895	168,000	35,000	127,226 12	5,766 68
Fitchburg,	1891	60,000	13,960	46,007 00	-
Fitchburg (alteration), . . .	1914	70,000	-	-	4,439 67
Framingham,	1908	45,500	3,000	40,196 00	2,163 45
Gloucester,	1906	65,000	8,370	58,125 00	498 69
Greenfield,	1910	50,000	5,000	43,419 99	1,580 01
Haverhill,	1906	40,000	3,500	35,958 25	493 00
Hingham,	1910	50,000	2,745	45,644 86	1,610 14
Holyoke,	1906	65,000	6,032	57,901 52	1,066 48
Hudson,	1910	56,000	4,000	49,684 64	2,270 57
Lawrence (alterations), . . .	1893	111,500	15,093	96,223 00	-
Lowell (alterations), . . .	1891	131,000	15,500	115,276 00	-
Lynn,	1893	100,000	15,700	80,411 00	-
Malden,	1908	60,000	7,000	51,375 54	1,574 20
Marlborough,	1906	27,000	1,400	25,595 00	-
Milford,	1912	57,000	5,000	47,717 01	1,959 75
Methuen,	1913	35,000	900	32,783 05	1,316 95
Newton,	1910	56,000	4,000	49,372 62	2,458 78
New Bedford,	1903	178,000	10,920	159,936 64	6,630 60
Natick,	1912	56,000	4,000	47,659 29	2,328 32
Orange,	1913	60,000	1,500	52,500 00	2,314 40
Pittsfield,	1908	65,000	10,000	53,057 04	1,704 36
Salem,	1908	200,000	59,484	123,261 80	8,002 72
Somerville,	1903	75,000	15,000	59,360 95	632 00
Springfield,	1895	110,000	12,000	97,886 00	-

List of First-class Armories now owned by the Commonwealth —
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ARMORIES.	Com- pleted.	Appro- priation.	Cost.		
			Land.	Building.	Furnish- ing.
Springfield (boathouse), . . .	1905	\$13,000	\$3,775	\$9,196 00	-
Springfield (alterations), . . .	1915	143,000	17,000	-	-
Stoneham,	1913	57,000	4,977	49,846 00	\$2,124 00
Waltham,	1908	50,000	4,500	41,674 78	2,821 38
Worcester,	1891	132,000	23,000	108,981 00	-
Worcester (alterations), . . .	1910	57,500	5,354	84,082 22	8,063 78
Worcester (alterations), . . .	1910	40,000			
Wakefield,	1911	56,000	6,660	47,403 75	1,842 25
		\$4,865,047	\$695,226	\$2,958,688 00	\$79,104 65
Taken over under General Laws:—					
Everett,		\$58,000	-	-	-
Northampton,		27,500	-	-	-
Plymouth,		31,000	-	-	-
		\$4,991,547	\$695,226	\$2,958,688 00	\$79,104 65



APPENDIX.



RETIRED OFFICERS.

Officers of the M. V. M.

(Section 100, Chapter 604, Acts of 1908.)

NAME, ADDRESS, RANK AND DATE OF RETIREMENT.	Original Entry into the Service. Subsequent Service and Commissions.	Service of Other States, and of United States.	Organization re- tired from.	Born.	Received Military or Medical In- struction.
Benj. F. Peach, Jr., Lynn, maj. gen., July 24, 1897.	6th regt., C, May 31, 1854; 8th regt., C, 1855; sgt., Apr. 20, 1857; 1st sgt., May 27, 1858; 1st lt., Mar., 1862; adj., Sept., 1862; col., July 22, 1864; dis., Apr. 28, 1876; re-elected, July 24, 1876; com. vacated, Jan. 11, 1882, decision sup. jud. ct.; re-elected, Jan. 15, 1882; brig. gen. comdg., 2d brig., Feb. 18, 1882.	8th M. V. M., 1st sgt., C, Apr. 30, 1861; dis., Aug. 1, 1861; adj., Nov. 7, 1862; dis., Aug. 7, 1863; col., July 26, 1864; mus. out, Nov. 10, 1864.	2d brig.,	Marblehead, Mass.	
Francis Henry Appleton, Peabody, maj. gen., Jan. 3, 1900.	1st corps cadets, Jan. 8, 1870; corp., Dec. 12, 1872; mus. in, Oct. 14, 1873; sgt., Jan. 31, 1874; 1st sgt.; sgt. maj., Feb. 5, 1875; 1st lt., July 13, 1875; adj., Apr. 3, 1876; dis., Apr. 28, 1876; reapp., Apr. 28, 1876; capt., July 19, 1879; brig. gen., com. gen., Mass., Jan. 7, 1897.	.	Staff com-in- chief.	Boston, Mass.	St. Paul School, Concord, N.H.; Harvard; Mass. Hist. Soc.; U.S. Mil. Serv. Inst.
Wm. A. Bancroft, Cam- bridge, maj. gen., Jan. 4, 1901.	5th regt., K, June 14, 1875; corp., Aug. 28, 1876; sgt., B, Apr. 9, 1877; 2d lt., Apr. 16, 1877; 1st lt., Sept. 2, 1878; capt., Mar. 31, 1879; col., Feb. 7, 1882; brig. gen. comdg., 2d brig., July 30, 1897.	2d brig., 2d div., 7th army corps, U. S. V., brig. gen. comdg., May 27, 1898; res., Aug. 17, 1898.	2d brig.,	Groton, Mass.	
Robt. A. Blood, Boston, maj. gen., May 2, 1904.	1st brig., lt. col., med. dir., May 2, 1895; surg. gen., Mass., May 28, 1896.	11th N. H. vols., corp., Aug. 14, 1862; dis., May 11, 1863, dis- ability from wounds.	Staff com-in- chief.	New London, N. H.	Harvard, 1870.

Retired Officers of the M. V. M. — Continued.

NAME, ADDRESS, RANK AND DATE OF RETIREMENT.	Original Entry into the Service, Subsequent Service and Commissions.	Service of Other States, and of United States.	Organization recruited from.	Born.	Received Military or Medical Instruction.
Thos. R. Mathews, Boston, maj. gen., July 19, 1904.	1st regt., D, 1st lt., Jan. 21, 1878; capt., Jan. 26, 1880; maj., Aug. 19, 1881; lt. col., Dec. 28, 1885; col., Dec. 10, 1888; brig. gen. comdg., 1st brig., July 19, 1897.	1st Mass. vols., K, May 24, 1861; dis., Feb. 24, 1863.	1st brig.,	Boston, Mass.	
William Stopford, Beverly, maj. gen., Jan. 4, 1906.	1st regt., D, Mar. 25, 1865, to Mar. 16, 1866; 2d corps cadets, May 29, 1875; 2d, June 3, 1878; 3d, June 25, 1879; 4th, Jan. 18, 1882; 5th, Jan. 18, 1885; 6th, Jan. 18, 1888; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 7th, 8th regt., E, 2d lt., July 22, 1889; 1st lt., Mar. 18, 1892; capt., Apr. 10, 1893; maj., Oct. 2, 1896; brig. gen., adj. gen., Mass., Jan. 5, 1905.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., maj., May 11, 1898; lt. col., Oct. 28, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899.	Staff com-in-chief.	Manchester, Eng.	
James A. Frye, Boston, maj. gen., Mar. 15, 1907.	1st inf., regt. sgt. maj., Nov. 10, 1890; 2d lt., L, Apr. 1, 1891; 1st lt., L, Apr. 18, 1891, declined; 1st lt., regt. adj., May 9, 1891; lt., jr. grade, sig. officer, nav. brig., Nov. 30, 1896, declined; col., asst. insp. gen. rifle prac., gen. staff, Jan. 7, 1897; lt. col., asst. adj. gen., staff 1st brig., July 30, 1897, declined; maj., 1st hvy. art., Apr. 1, 1898; col., asst. insp. gen., gen. staff, Nov. 14, 1898; col., insp. gen. rifle prac., July 6, 1899; col. comdg. 1st hvy. art., later corps coast art., May 4, 1900; adj. gen., brig. gen., Mass., Jan. 4, 1906.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., maj. comdg. 3d batt., enrolled, Apr. 26, 1898; mus., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; col. comdg. Ft. Rodman, Mass., U. S. army-navy maneuvers, 1902; col., acting chief of staff, art. dist. of Portland, Me., U. S. army-navy maneuvers, 1903; mem. nat. board on promotion rifle prac. since 1903.	Staff com-in-chief.	Boston, Mass.	Boston Latin; Harvard; mem. Mass. Mil. Hist. Soc.; asso. mem. Mil. Serv. Inst. of U. S.; and U. S. Nav. Inst.

Jophanus H. Whitney, Medford, maj. gen., Feb. 23, 1908.	5th regt., E, Nov. 12, 1830; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Oct. 22, 1866; 1st lt., Apr. 1, 1873; dis., May 1, 1874; 2d lt., May 5, 1874; 1st lt., Feb. 24, 1875; capt., Jan. 24, 1876; res., Aug. 3, 1881; 1st lt., June 22, 1883; maj., Apr. 18, 1884; lt. col., May 23, 1894; col., Aug. 6, 1897; brig. gen. comdg., 2d brig., Feb. 23, 1901.	39th M. V., C, priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt., Aug. 1, 1862, to June 20, 1865; 5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., col., July 2, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	2d brig.,	Avon, Me.
William H. Devine, South Boston, maj. gen., Mar. 25, 1908.	9th regt., 1st lt., asst. surg., July 16, 1883; maj., surg., Mar. 1, 1884; res., Feb. 7, 1887; maj., surg., May 1, 1888; lt. col., med. dir., 2d brig., Sept. 11, 1897; retired June 3, 1903, as col.; brig. gen., surg. gen., Jan. 5, 1905; brig. gen., surg. gen., med. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., 1st lt., asst. surg., May 10, 1898; maj. and brig. surg., June 8, 1898; assigned to 1st brig., 1st div., 2d army corps, June 23, 1898; hon. dis., Sept. 26, 1898.	Med. dept.,	Boston, Mass.,
Hugh Bancroft, Cambridge, maj. gen., Jan. 27, 1909.	5th regt., B, July 4, 1894; 2d, July 4, 1897; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d brig., capt., eng., Sept. 13, 1897; lt. col., asst. adj. gen., Apr. 17, 1903; judge adv. gen., brig. gen., Mass., Jan. 4, 1906; ret. as maj. gen., Nov. 15, 1907; brig. gen., judge adv. gen., June 1, 1908.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., adj., June 20, 1898; res., Sept. 1, 1898.	Judge adv. gen. dept.	Cambridge, Mass.
Curtis Guild, Jr., maj. gen., Jan. 7, 1909.	1st batt. cav., A, Nov. 1, 1891; priv., corp.; 2d lt., May 7, 1895; brig. gen., insp. gen. rifle prac., Mass., Jan. 7, 1897; 1st lt., adj., 6th regt., Apr. 22, 1898; res., Mar. 3, 1899. Gov. com.-in-chief Jan. 4, 1906, to Jan. 7, 1909.	Lt. col., insp. gen., insp. gen. dept., 7th army corps, U. S. V., May 9, 1898; resigned Feb. 23, 1899.	Com.-in-chief,	Boston, Mass.,
Embury P. Clark, Springfield, maj. gen., July 25, 1911.	2d regt., K, 1868, sgt.; capt., June 4, 1869; maj., Aug. 14, 1871; lt. col., Aug. 31, 1875; dis., Apr. 28, 1876; D, capt., Dec. 23, 1878; lt. col., Aug. 2, 1879; col., Feb. 2, 1889; brig. gen. comdg., 1st brig., July 26, 1904.	46th M. V. M., B, corp., Oct. 15, 1862; dis., July 29, 1863; 2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., col., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	1st brig.,	Buckland, Mass.

High and Latin,
Boston; Har-
vard, 1892.

Harvard.

Chauncy Hall,
Boston.

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NAME, ADDRESS, RANK AND DATE OF RETIREMENT.	Original Entry into the Service, Subsequent Service and Commissions.	Service of Other States, and of United States.	Organization retired from.	Born.	Received Military or Medical Instruction.
Frederick E. Pierce, Greenfield, maj. gen., May 16, 1913.	2d regt., I, 1st lt., Nov. 21, 1837; capt., Jan. 16, 1891; maj., Feb. 13, 1900; col., Sept. 29, 1904; brig. gen., 1st brig., Sept. 9, 1911.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., L, capt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	1st brig.,	Glenwood, Ia.	
Thomas Kittredge, Salem, brig. gen., Jan. 3, 1894.	2d batt. art., asst. surg., Apr. 27, 1875; dia., Sept. 14, 1875; asst. surg., Aug. 21, 1878; 8th regt., surg., Aug. 10, 1881; 2d brig., lt. col., med. dir., Mar. 7, 1882; brig. gen., surg. gen., Mass., Jan. 8, 1891.		Staff com-in-chief.	North Andover, Mass.	M.D., Long Island College Hosp., 1874.
Benj. F. Bridges, Charlestown, brig. gen., July 9, 1897.	10th regt. inf., 1852 to 1857; 2d regt., H, 1st lt., Nov. 28, 1871; capt., Mar. 15, 1875; maj., Aug. 3, 1876; lt. col., Jan. 25, 1879; col., Aug. 2, 1879; brig. gen. comdg., 1st brig., Jan. 5, 1889.		1st brig.,	Deerfield, Mass.	
Henry Parsons, Marlborough, brig. gen., Feb. 25, 1898.	6th regt., E, 1st lt., Aug. 11, 1873; capt., Jan. 28, 1879; maj., Apr. 9, 1879; lt. col., May 16, 1884; col., Mar. 24, 1890.	148th N. Y. vols., H, 2d lt., Sept. 5, 1862; 1st lt., Oct. 26, 1863; capt., Dec. 14, 1864; brev. maj., N. Y. vols.; mus. out, June 22, 1865.	6th regt. inf.,	New York, N. Y.	
James L. Carter, Brookline, brig. gen., May 17, 1901.	1st corps cadets, June 12, 1874; dis., June 12, 1877; nav. batt., C, lt., jr. grade, Mar. 25, 1890; lt. comdg., Dec. 1, 1891; brig. gen., insp. gen., gen., Mass., Jan. 13, 1892.	1st lt., 10th U. S. C., T, 1864-1869; U. S. N., midshipman, 1866-1870.	Staff com-in-chief.	Cambridge, Mass.	U. S. Nav. Acad.; Ta-gleswood Mil. Acad., N. J.; Highland Mil. Acad.

Charles Pfaff, Boston, brig. gen., Apr. 12, 1904.	1st corps cadets, Jan. 8, 1880; trans. non-com. staff, 2d brig., July 26, 1882; dis., Jan. 8, 1883; 2d, 1st corps cadets, April 19, 1884; 3d, Apr. 19, 1885; 4th, Apr. 19, 1886; 5th, Apr. 19, 1887; 6th, Apr. 19, 1888; 7th, Apr. 19, 1889; 1st regt. inf., A, capt., Feb. 12, 1890; maj., May 18, 1893; 1st regt. hvy. art., col., July 28, 1897; retired as col., Apr. 20, 1900.	1st hvy. art., U. S. V., col., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	1st hvy. art., Boston, Mass.
Charles K. Darling, Boston, brig. gen., Jan. 14, 1905.	6th regt. inf., Sept. 12, 1887; sgt. maj.; adi., Feb. 25, 1889; maj., Apr. 4, 1893; col., May 22, 1899.	6th regt. inf., U. S. V., maj., May 13, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Corinth, Vt., U. S. Mil. Acad., IS mos.
Charles B. Woodman, Fall River, brig. gen., May 23, 1908.	1st regt., M, Mar. 31, 1879; corp., Apr. 8, 1880; 2d, Mar. 31, 1882; 2d lt., Aug. 29, 1882; 1st lt., Apr. 24, 1883; 1st lt. quar. mas., Jan. 10, 1889; maj., Mar. 12, 1897; lt. col., Apr. 1, 1898.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., lt. col., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Fall River, Mass.
Lawrence J. Logan, Boston, brig. gen., Dec. 19, 1908.	9th regt., D, 1st lt., Apr. 28, 1865; capt., Apr. 2, 1869; maj., Mar. 4, 1872; dis., Apr. 28, 1876; lt. col., Jan. 20, 1879; res., July 10, 1889; lt. col., Nov. 6, 1889.	9th regt. inf., U. S. V., lt. col., May 11, 1898; col., Aug. 18, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Ireland.
William H. Donovan, Law- rence, brig. gen., Nov. 4, 1909.	6th regt., I, May, 1871; 2d, July 2, 1873; 3d, July 2, 1876; corp. sgt.; 2d lt., June 25, 1877; co. trans. to 9th inf. as F co., Dec. 3, 1878; 1st lt., Aug. 11, 1879; capt., June 25, 1884; maj., June 27, 1888; col., Mar. 30, 1899.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., maj., May 11, 1898; lt. col., Aug. 19, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Silver Lake, Pa.
William H. Oakes, Dorches- ter, brig. gen., Feb. 1, 1910.	5th regt., A, Sept. 11, 1876; 2d, Sept. 11, 1879; 3d, Sept. 11, 1880; 4th, Sept. 11, 1881; 5th, Sept. 11, 1882, priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Jan. 8, 1883; capt., June 22, 1883; maj., Jan. 30, 1889; lt. col., Aug. 6, 1897; col., Apr. 13, 1901.	5th regt. inf., Cohasset, Mass.	

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William Curtis Capelle, Boston, brig. gen., Jan. 5, 1911.	5th regt. art., D, Dec. 29, 1854; co. changed to 2d regt. inf. as D co., Feb. 26, 1855; priv., corp., sgt.; 4th lt., July 10, 1860; 3d lt., Apr. 17, 1861, declined to qualify; staff com-in-chief, capt., Nov. 2, 1864; maj., May 8, 1866; res., Jan. 25, 1872; 1st regt. inf., D, Jan. 30, 1872; priv., corp., sgt.; asst. adj. gen., rank col., Jan. 1, 1895; lt. col., Jan. 4, 1900; col., June 26, 1905.	1st clerk, surg. gen. office, .	Staff com-in-chief.	Lexington, Mass.	Public school and academy.
Henry S. Dewey, Boston, brig. gen., Sept. 8, 1911.	1st corps cadets, June 11, 1880, to Feb. 25, 1889; corp., sgt.; 1st brig. capt., judge adv., Feb. 25, 1889; col., judge adv. gen., Mass., Jan. 4, 1900; res., Jan. 5, 1905.	. . . . .	Staff com-in-chief.	Hanover, N. H.	
P. Frank Packard, Salem, brig. gen., Sept. 30, 1911.	2d corps cadets, Sept. 17, 1886; 2d, Sept. 17, 1889; 3d, Sept. 17, 1890; 4th, Sept. 17, 1891; 5th, Sept. 17, 1892; priv., sgt., 1st sgt., sgt. maj.; 2d lt., May 23, 1893; 1st lt., Jan. 26, 1894; res., Apr. 10, 1894; 6th, 8th regt., D, Apr. 10, 1894; trans. 1st regt. inf., B, Jan. 30, 1895; 7th, Apr. 10, 1895; trans. to C, Dec. 9, 1895; 8th, Apr. 10, 1896; sgt., 1st sgt.; K. 2d lt., Feb. 8, 1897; 1st lt., Oct. 25, 1897; 2d corps cadets, 1st lt., adj., Apr. 22, 1899; capt., June 2, 1899; 8th regt., I, capt., Oct. 16, 1900; maj., Mar. 6, 1908; retired as lt. col., Oct. 10, 1909; col., asst. adj. gen., staff com-in-chief, Jan. 19, 1911.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., K, 1st lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; rec'd certificate of eligibility from the President to a commission as "colonel of infantry," in any volunteers to be raised by the U. S.; examined by board of U. S. Army officers, Jan. 5, 1905.	Staff com-in-chief.	Charlestown, Mass.	Salem High, Salem; U. S. Coast Artillery Garrison School, Fort Banks.

Samuel D. Parker, Boston, brig. gen., Dec. 27, 1911.	1st corps cadets, Dec. 3, 1889; 2d, Dec. 3, 1892, to Dec. 3, 1893; priv.; lt. art., batt. A, Apr. 25, 1895; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., Mar. 17, 1897; capt., July 18, 1898; asst. insp. gen., Mass., lt. col., Jan. 4, 1906; lt. col., insp. gen., insp. gen. dept., Nov. 15, 1907; brig. gen., insp. gen., Jan. 1, 1908.				Milton, Mass.
John J. Sullivan, Dorchester, brig. gen., Apr. 22, 1912.	9th regt., E, 1st lt., Aug. 1, 1889; capt., June 25, 1895; maj., Mar. 30, 1899; col., Nov. 16, 1909.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., E, capt., May 11, 1898; maj., Aug. 19, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	9th regt. inf.		Boston, Mass., English High, Boston.
Charles T. Hilliker, Lynn, brig. gen., Jan. 7, 1914.	8th regt., D, Feb. 27, 1885; 2d, Feb. 27, 1888; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Jan. 2, 1889; capt., Mar. 15, 1897; maj., Mar. 3, 1911; lt. col., Apr. 7, 1913.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., D, capt., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899.			Lynn, Mass.,
James H. Smyth, Brighton, brig. gen., Mar. 3, 1914.	1st regt. inf., A, Mar. 18, 1896; 2d, 1st regt. hvy. art., H, Mar. 18, 1899; corp. sgt.; 2d lt., Nov. 22, 1899; 1st lt., Nov. 13, 1901; capt., 8th co., Nov. 12, 1902; maj., insp. gen., Feb. 4, 1910; lt. col., insp. gen., June 26, 1911; col. insp. gen., Dec. 27, 1911; res., Nov. 25, 1912; brig. gen., ret., Nov. 25, 1912; capt., coast art. corps, Feb. 13, 1913; capt., 11th co. coast art. corps, Apr. 9, 1912; brig. gen., ret., Mar. 3, 1914.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., A, May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; corp.	Insp. gen. dept., 11th co. coast art. corps.		Boston, Mass.
Gardner W. Pearson, Lowell, brig. gen., May 2, 1914.	6th regt., C, July 12, 1897; 2d, July 12, 1900; priv., corp.; 1st lt., Jan. 9, 1901; capt., Apr. 18, 1905; brig. gen., Mass., Jan. 5, 1911.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., C, May 13, 1898; sgt.; regt. sgt. maj., June 29, 1898; G, 2d lt., Sept. 2, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Staff com-in- chief.		Lowell, Mass., Lowell High, Mass. Inst. Tech.

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Frederick W. Merriam, North Adams, col., Oct. 6, 1893.	2d regt. inf., I, 2d lt., Sept. 5, 1872; E, 1st lt., Aug. 27, 1874; capt., Mar. 30, 1870; maj., Aug. 9, 1881; lt. col., Feb. 2, 1889.	52d regt., M. V. M., B, Oct. 11, 1862; dis., Aug. 14, 1863.	2d regt. inf.,	Charllemont, Mass.	
Charles L. Dodge, Beverly, col., June 15, 1895.	2d unatt. inf., 1st sgt., 1865; 8th regt., E, 2d lt., June 3, 1868; 1st lt., July 24, 1874; capt., Apr. 20, 1877; com. vacated, Jan. 11, 1882, decision sup. jud. ct.; re-elected, Apr. 20, 1882; maj., May 16, 1888; lt. col., June 10, 1890; col., Oct. 6, 1893.	. . . . .	8th regt. inf.,	Salem, Mass.	
Charles L. Hovey, Boston, col., Mar. 26, 1898.	4th batt., C, Apr. 30, 1874; 2d, Oct. 2, 1876; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st regt., C, 2d lt., May 26, 1879; 1st lt., Nov. 24, 1879; capt., Mar. 13, 1882; maj., Apr. 26, 1884; lt. col., Mar. 5, 1891.	. . . . .	1st hvy. art.,	Cambridge, Mass.	
George H. Chaffin, South- bridge, col., Jan. 21, 1899.	10th regt., G, July 27, 1867; priv., corp., sgt., quar. mas. sgt.; 2d lt., Aug. 4, 1875; 1st lt., Mar. 17, 1876; co. trans. to 6th regt. as co. H, Dec. 3, 1878; capt., Apr. 29, 1881; res., Aug. 16, 1883; 6th reg., maj., May 16, 1884; lt. col., Mar. 4, 1898.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., May 6, 1898; res., Aug. 3, 1898; maj.	6th regt. inf.,	Grafton, Mass.	
Samuel A. Johnson, Salem, col., Feb. 6, 1899.	2d corps cadets, Apr. 22, 1874; 2d, Apr. 23, 1877; corp., sgt.; 2d lt., May 21, 1878; 1st lt., Apr. 26, 1880; capt., July 9, 1883; maj., July 6, 1891; lt. col., July 10, 1895.	. . . . .	2d corps ca- dets.	Salem, Mass.	

David Clark, Springfield, col., Apr. 25, 1899.	2d regt. inf., surg., Sept. 18, 1872; dis., Apr. 28, 1876; 2d inf., maj., surg., Aug. 25, 1876; 1st brig., lt. col., med. dir., May 28, 1896; retired as lt. col., Aug. 11, 1897.	13th Ohio vols., F. June 5, 1861; dis., June 26, 1864; 6th regt., U. S. vet. vols., Apr. 5, 1865; dis. Apr. 3, 1866.	1st brig. staff,	Brighton, O.,	M. D., Penn., 1869.
Bowdoin S. Parker, Boston, col., May 25, 1899.	2d regt. inf., A. capt., July 11, 1870; res., Apr. 27, 1871; adj., Aug. 14, 1879; 1st brig., capt., judge adv., Mar. 22, 1882; lt. col., asst. adj. gen., Jan. 23, 1889; retired as lt. col., Sept. 16, 1897.	52d regt. inf., M. V. M., A. Oct. 11, 1862; dis., Aug. 14, 1863.	1st brig. staff,	Conway, Mass.	
Frank L. Locke, Malden, col., Jan. 3, 1900.	1st batt. cav., D. Mar. 4, 1885; sgt.; sgt. maj.; adj., Jan. 14, 1890; col., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 7, 1897.	.	Staff com-in-chief.	Boston, Mass.,	English High, Boston, Mass.; Inst. Tech.
Richard H. Morgan, New Bedford, col., Oct. 30, 1900.	1st regt. inf., E. Mar. 24, 1886; priv.; 1st lt., May 3, 1886; capt., Apr. 8, 1889; maj., Mar. 5, 1891; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 7, 1897.	.	Staff com-in-chief.	New Bedford, Mass.	Mass. Inst. Tech.; Harvard.
Jenness K. Dexter, Springfield, col., Jan. 5, 1905.	Nav. brig., H., Mar. 6, 1893; lt. chief of co., Mar. 6, 1893; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., staff com-in-chief, Jan. 30, 1904.	U. S. navy, lt., jr. grade, July 2, 1898; U. S. S. "Governor Russell," dis., Oct. 8, 1898.	Staff com-in-chief.	Springfield, Mass.	U. S. Nav. Acad.
Edwin R. Shumway, Worcester, col., Mar. 18, 1905.	10th regt., A. 1869; corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Nov. 25, 1872; 1st lt., Jan. 18, 1873; capt., Aug. 28, 1876; maj., Apr. 11, 1884; lt. col., Nov. 3, 1893.	4th Vt. vols., I. F. Sept. 21, 1861; corp., sgt., re-enlisted, Dec. 15, 1863; dis., July 13, 1865; 2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., lt. col., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	2d regt. inf.,	Jamaica, Vt.	
Edward J. Gihon, Wakefield, col., Jan. 4, 1906.	6th regt., A. Sept. 6, 1882; 2d, Sept. 6, 1885; 3d, Sept. 6, 1886; 4th, Sept. 6, 1887; 5th, Sept. 6, 1888; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Nov. 1, 1888; 1st lt., July 14, 1890; capt., Jan. 2, 1893; maj., May 22, 1899; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 4, 1900.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., A. capt., May 12, 1898; maj., Oct. 1, 1898, not mus.; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Staff com-in-chief.	Wakefield, Mass.	

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Francis T. L. Magurn, Boston, col., Jan. 4, 1906.	9th regt., D, 1st lt., May 23, 1887; res., May 7, 1888; 5th regt., A, Apr. 8, 1889, to July 2, 1889; 9th regt., D, capt., May 12, 1890; maj., surg., Sept. 29, 1897; res., July 19, 1899; 5th regt., capt., asst. surg., May 20, 1901; maj., surg., June 22, 1904; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 5, 1905.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., maj., surg., May 3, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 23, 1899.	Staff com-in-chief.	Charlestown, Mass.	Charlestown High; Harvard.
Henry L. Kincaide, Quincy, col., Jan. 4, 1906.	1st regt., K, Aug. 2, 1887; 5th regt., K, 2d lt., Nov. 21, 1887; 1st lt., June 9, 1890; capt., Sept. 8, 1897; ret. as capt., June 22, 1899; 5th regt., batt. adj., May 18, 1900; capt., adj., Apr. 29, 1901; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 5, 1905.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, capt., July 1, 1898; res., Sept. 15, 1898.	Staff com-in-chief.	Braintree, Mass.	
Albert C. Warren, Newton, col., Apr. 12, 1906.	1st regt., L, Oct. 10, 1870; dis., Mar. 25, 1875; 2d, 5th regt., C, Jan. 11, 1879; 3d, Jan. 11, 1882; dis., Oct. 28, 1882; corp., sgt.; 4th, 5th regt., quar. mas. sgt., July 30, 1883; 1st lt., pay mas., Dec. 27, 1893; capt., pay mas., Apr. 3, 1900; capt., aid-de-camp, 2d brig., May 15, 1901; maj., asst. insp. gen., Dec. 12, 1903; lt. col., asst. adj. gen., Jan. 26, 1906.		2d brig. hdqrs.,	St. Louis, Mo.,	Union Hall Acad., N. Y.; Mass. Inst. Tech.
Harry B. Fairbanks, Worcester, col., June 25, 1907.	2d regt., C, Mar. 10, 1884; 2d, Mar. 10, 1887; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., June 6, 1887; capt., Aug. 25, 1891; maj., July 30, 1895; lt. col., May 15, 1905.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., maj., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	2d regt. inf.,	Windsor Locks, Ct.	

Henry L. Williams, Northampton, col., Nov. 15, 1907.	2d regt., I, capt., Dec. 12, 1892; res., Dec. 15, 1898; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 4, 1900; res., Jan. 8, 1903; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 4, 1906.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, capt., May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	Huntington, Mass.
Paul R. Hawkins, Springfield, col., Jan. 1, 1908.	2d regt., B, 1st lt., Sept. 8, 1890; res., Dec. 15, 1893; 1st lt., I. R. P., May 10, 1895; adj., May 12, 1896; maj., aid-de-camp, staff com-in-chief, Jan. 4, 1900; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., Jan. 7, 1902; dis., Jan. 29, 1904.	2d regt., Mass. inf., U. S. V., May 3, 1898; adj.; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	Springfield Mass.
Edward H. Eldredge, Boston, col., Apr. 3, 1908.	1st corps cadets, Dec. 15, 1886, to Dec. 15, 1889; priv.; 2d, 2d brig. non-com. staff, Apr. 23, 1891; 3d, Apr. 23, 1894; 4th, Apr. 23, 1895; sgt.; 8th regt., 1st lt., insp. rifle prac., July 12, 1895; 1st lt., adj., Nov. 27, 1895; maj., Oct. 31, 1899; lt. col., Apr. 26, 1906.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., maj., May 14, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899.	Roxbury, Mass.
Murray D. Clement, Waltham, col., May 11, 1908.	5th regt., F, capt., May 11, 1891; maj., Mar. 4, 1898; lt. col., Apr. 13, 1901.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., maj., July 1, 1898; res., Nov. 29, 1898.	Barnet, Vt.
Adelbert M. Mossman, Hudson, col., Aug. 24, 1909.	5th regt., I, 1869 to 1871; capt., Nov. 16, 1887; maj., May 23, 1894; retired as lt. col., Feb. 11, 1898; lt. col., asst. adj. gen., adj. gen. dept., Nov. 19, 1907.	35th N. J. vols., . . .	Searsport, Me.
Edwin W. M. Bailey, Amesbury, col., Jan. 11, 1910.	8th regt., B, capt., Nov. 21, 1887; maj., Oct. 6, 1893; lt. col., Oct. 2, 1896; asst. insp. gen., Mass., lt. col., Jan. 4, 1906; insp. gen., Mass., lt. col., Nov. 17, 1907.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., lt. col., May 11, 1898; res., Oct. 28, 1898.	East Pittston, Me.
John Caswell, Prides Crossing, col., Apr. 14, 1910. ¹	8th regt., 1st lt., insp. rifle prac., July 11, 1903; capt., insp. small arms prac., Apr. 12, 1906; col., insp. gen. small arms prac., Aug. 31, 1907; act. chief of ordnance, Nov. 15, 1907.	New York, N. Y.

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Roger Wolcott, Milton, col., Sept. 1, 1910.	1st regt. hvy art., A. Apr. 25, 1898; priv. corp.; 2d lt., L. Apr. 18, 1899; 1st lt., batt. adj., Oct. 15, 1900; capt., adj., Apr. 15, 1901; res., Jan. 6, 1904; asst. insp. gen., Mass., lt. col., Jan. 4, 1906; insp. gen., Nov. 15, 1907.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., A. May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; priv.	Insp. gen. dept.	Milton, Mass.	
John E. Spencer, Salem, col., Jan. 5, 1911.	2d corps cadets, July 16, 1880; 2d, July 16, 1883; 3d, July 16, 1884; 4th, July 16, 1885; 5th, July 16, 1886; 6th, July 16, 1887; 7th, July 16, 1888; 8th, July 16, 1889; 9th, July 16, 1890; 10th, July 16, 1891; 11th, July 16, 1892; priv., corp., sgt., sgt. maj.; 1st lt., Apr. 28, 1893; capt., Sept. 16, 1898; maj., June 29, 1903; lt. col., Jan. 6, 1908.	.	2d corps cadets.	Boston, Mass.	
Frederic S. Howes, Braintree, col., Jan. 27, 1911.	1st regt., K., Jan. 3, 1888; 2d, Jan. 3, 1891; sgt.; 2d lt., May 14, 1891; 1st lt., Aug. 10, 1891; 1st lt., adj., Jan. 7, 1897; K, capt., Oct. 25, 1897; maj., June 5, 1908; lt. col., Mar. 17, 1910.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., K, capt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Coast art. corps.	East Boston, Mass.	
Thomas D. Barroll, Boston, col., Dec. 26, 1911.	1st corps cadets, Aug. 31, 1885, to Dec. 26, 1895; priv., corp., sgt.; 8th regt., 1st lt., insp. rifle prac., Dec. 26, 1895; res., July 20, 1899; maj., aid-de-camp, staff com-in-chief, Jan. 4, 1906; lt. col., insp. gen., insp. gen. dept., Nov. 19, 1907.	5th Md. vols., 10 mos.; 8th regt., U. S. V., 1st lt., adj., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899.	Insp. gen. dept.	Baltimore, Md.	

Walter L. Sanborn, Newton, col., May 27, 1913.	Batt. A, lgt. art., Apr. 25, 1895; 2d, Apr. 25, 1898; 3d, Apr. 25, 1899; priv., corp., trans. to 2d brig.; non-com. staff, sgt., clerk, Dec. 1, 1899; 4th, Apr. 25, 1900; trans. to 1st brig., non-com. staff, sgt. maj., Mar. 13, 1901; 5th, Apr. 25, 1901; capt., prov. mar., Feb. 13, 1902; lt. col., asst. adj. gen., Jan. 8, 1903; maj., adj. gen. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	.	.	.	.	Adj. gen. dept.,	Newton, Mass.,	Newton
Phineas L. Rider, Worcester, col., May 28, 1914.	10th regt., C, Sept. 7, 1877; dis., exp., from 2d regt., C, Sept. 7, 1880; 2d lt., Jan. 27, 1882; res., Jan. 23, 1884; 3d, Dec. 4, 1880; priv., sgt.; 2d lt., Sept. 17, 1890; 1st lt., Aug. 25, 1891; capt., Aug. 13, 1895; maj., May 15, 1905.	.	.	.	.	2d regt. inf.,	Southbridge, Mass.	
George F. H. Murray, Bos- ton, col., June 12, 1914.	9th regt., B, 2d lt., Dec. 9, 1887; capt., May 1, 1888, maj., Mar. 30, 1899.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., B, capt., May 10, 1898; maj., Aug. 18, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	.	.	.	9th regt. inf.,	At sea,	English High, Boston.
Eben T. Brackett, Lynn, lt. col., Aug. 6, 1895.	11th unatt. co. inf., Apr., 1865; 8th regt., I, Sept. 1, 1872; corp.; mus. in, July 14, 1873; 2d, 7th batt., I, Aug. 4, 1876; 8th regt., I, Aug. 4, 1879; sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Feb. 24, 1882; capt., Apr. 17, 1883; lt. col., Oct. 6, 1893.	.	.	.	.	8th regt. inf.,	Charlestown, Mass.	
Charles H. Rice, Fitchburg, lt. col., Mar. 2, 1897.	6th regt., maj., surg., Dec. 27, 1884,	.	.	.	.	6th regt. inf.,	Ashburnham, Mass.	Harvard, 1866.
Freeman C. Hersey, Boston, lt. col., Sept. 11, 1897.	8th regt., maj., surg., June 1, 1886; 2d brig., lt. col., med. dir., Apr. 13, 1891.	2d brig.,	Corinth, Me.,	Bowdoin Col- lege, Me., 1873.

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George R. Rogers, Boston, lt. col., Jan. 10, 1899.	1st corps cadets, Apr. 23, 1870; mus. in, June 14, 1873; corp., sgt., sgt. maj.; 1st lt., Jan. 12, 1874; capt., Jan. 21, 1875; maj., May 29, 1883.	44th M. V. M., C, Sept. 12, 1862; dis., June 18, 1863; priv.	1st corps cadets.	Boston, Mass.	
Orland J. Brown, North Adams, lt. col., Jan. 28, 1899.	2d regt. inf., 1st lt., asst. surg., Sept. 20, 1878; surg., May 30, 1896.	. . . . .	Med. dept.,	Whittingham, Vt.	University Vt.
William L. Richardson, Boston, lt. col., Apr. 22, 1899.	1st corps cadets, Mar. 1, 1864; corp., hosp. steward; maj. surg., Nov. 6, 1875; dis., Apr. 28, 1876; reapp., Apr. 29, 1876; com. vacated, Jan. 11, 1882, decision sup. jud. ct.; reapp., Jan. 13, 1882.	. . . . .	1st corps cadets.	Boston, Mass.	Harvard, 1867.
Thomas F. Cordis, Longmeadow, lt. col., May 27, 1899.	2d batt. 1st lt., pay mas., Aug. 29, 1876; dis., Aug. 20, 1879; B, 2d lt., Mar. 8, 1880; 1st lt., Feb. 11, 1889; 1st brig., capt., aid-de-camp, Feb. 20, 1889; maj., asst. insp. gen. rifle prac., Jan. 12, 1894; ret. as maj., Aug. 11, 1897.	46th M. V. M., A, Sept. 25, 1862; sgt.; dis., July 29, 1863.	1st brig.,	Longmeadow, Mass.	
Elmore E. Locke, Malden, lt. col., Apr. 17, 1903.	1st brig., sgt., clerk, Sept. 20, 1878; capt., aid-de-camp, Feb. 11, 1881; res., Feb. 24, 1882; 5th regt., L, capt., Aug. 21, 1891; 1st lt., adj., Aug. 25, 1897; 2d brig., lt. col., asst. adj. gen., Mar. 29, 1901.	. . . . .	2d brig.,	Epsom, N. H.,	English High, Boston.

Frederick G. Southmayd, Springfield, lt. col., Nov. 30, 1904.	2d regt., B. Nov. 22, 1870; mus. in, July 29, 1873; 2d, Sept. 14, 1876; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Oct. 2, 1876; capt., Apr. 2, 1887; maj., Feb. 2, 1889.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., maj., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	2d regt. inf.,	Middletown, Ct.
Charles M. Green, Boston, lt. col., Feb. 23, 1905.	5th regt., F. Aug., 1870; mus. in, July 30, 1873; trans. to E, July 24, 1874; 2d lt., Feb. 24, 1875; 1st lt., Jan. 24, 1876; dis., June 29, 1877; 1st corps cadets, June 30, 1877; hosp. steward, July 5, 1877; asst. surg., Aug. 3, 1881; surg., Apr. 26, 1899.	.	1st corps ca- dets.	Medford, Mass.
Roland H. Sherman, Lawrence, lt. col., Jan. 1, 1906.	8th regt., col. sgt., July 23, 1895; dis., July 23, 1898; L, capt., Aug. 31, 1899; 2d brig., capt., judge adv., Apr. 22, 1901; maj. asst. insp. gen. rifle prac., Nov. 8, 1904; maj., judge adv., June 26, 1905.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., L, 2d lt., May 11, 1898; res., Aug. 12, 1898.	2d brig.,	Lawrence, Mass.
John Perrins, Jr., Boston, lt. col., Jan. 4, 1906.	1st batt. cav., D, Apr. 25, 1883; 2d, Sept. 27, 1886; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Dec. 23, 1892; 1st lt., Jan. 16, 1895; capt., Jan. 5, 1898; lt. col., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 8, 1903.	.	Staff com-in- chief.	England, Roxbury High.
Pettie A. Dyer, Boston, lt. col., Jan. 15, 1906.	1st regt., C, Sept. 29, 1876, to Oct. 5, 1877; 2d, Apr. 29, 1878; 3d, Oct. 23, 1882; 4th, Nov. 17, 1883; 5th, Dec. 1, 1884; 6th, Dec. 1, 1885; 7th, Dec. 1, 1886; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., May 23, 1887; 1st lt., July 20, 1887; capt., Aug. 15, 1887; maj., Mar. 5, 1891.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., maj., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Corps coast art.	Lynn, Mass.

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Joseph J. Kelley, South Boston, lt. col., Feb. 4, 1907.	Amb. corps. 2d brig., May 27, 1887; priv.; trans. to 9th regt., I, Feb. 25, 1888; corp., sgt.; 1st lt., Sept. 16, 1889; capt., July 6, 1891; 1st lt., adj., Apr. 16, 1892; maj., Mar. 30, 1899; maj., A. D. C., staff com-in-chief, Jan. 4, 1906.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., 1st lt., adj., May 10, 1898; maj., Aug. 20, 1898; not mus.; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Staff com-in-chief.	Boston, Mass.,	English High, Boston.
John F. Harvey, Boston, lt. col., Mar. 14, 1907.	1st batt. lgt. art., asst. surg., Mar. 31, 1892; maj., surg., May 26, 1893.	. . . . .	1st batt. field art.	Lowell, Mass.,	University City of N. Y., 1890.
William A. Hayes, 2d Cambridge, lt. col., Nov. 7, 1907.	1st corps cadets, Aug. 20, 1872; mus. in, June 14, 1873; corp., June 20, 1874; sgt., Jan. 1, 1876; dis., June 14, 1876; 2d, June 14, 1876; 1st sgt., July 3, 1878; dis., June 14, 1879; 3d, June 14, 1879; sgt. maj., Feb. 19, 1880; dis., June 14, 1880; 4th, June 14, 1880; 1st lt., June 16, 1880; 1st lt., insp. rifle prac., Feb. 7, 1889.	. . . . .	1st corps cadets.	Portsmouth, N. H.	
Isaac N. Marshall, South Framingham, lt. col., May 23, 1908.	6th regt., C, 1859 to 1861; corp., Apr. 15, 1861; 2d lt., June 16, 1862; res., July 15, 1864; E, capt., Mar. 15, 1897; 7th prov. co., capt., June 21, 1898; dis., Apr. 15, 1899; 6th regt., E, capt., Apr. 18, 1899; maj., Apr. 30, 1900.	6th Mass. inf., C, Apr. 15, 1861; mus., Apr. 22, 1861; mus. out, Aug. 2, 1861; 2d lt., June 16, 1862; mus. into U. S. service, Aug. 31, 1862; mus. out, June 3, 1863.	6th regt. inf.,	North Andover, Mass.	

Charles R. Gow, Dorchester, lt. col., July 11, 1908.	5th regt., E, Apr. 22, 1889; 2d lt., Mar. 23, 1891; res., Nov. 7, 1892; 2d, h'dqrs., 5th inf., quar. mas. sgt., July 12, 1899; 1st lt., com. of subsistence, May 18, 1900; 1st lt., insp. rifle pracc., June 18, 1901; 1st lt., batt. adj., May 22, 1902; res., Feb. 17, 1903; 2d brig., capt., eng., Apr. 18, 1903; maj. insp., May 28, 1906; maj., corps of engineers, Nov. 15, 1907.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., sgt. maj. July 2, 1898; 2d lt., H, M., July 9, 1898; B, 1st lt., Jan. 7, 1899; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	Corps of engineers.	Medford, Mass.
George Westgate Mills, Medford, lt. col., July 14, 1908.	5th regt., E, Feb. 22, 1875, to Feb. 22, 1878; sgt.; 1st batt. cav., hosp. steward, July 7, 1893; 1st cav., maj., surg., Aug. 13, 1894; maj., surg., med. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	.	Med. dept.,	Medford, Mass.
James C. Smith, Leominster, lt. col., July 8, 1909.	6th regt., B, May 12, 1893; 2d, May 12, 1896; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Apr. 21, 1899; capt., Nov. 26, 1900; maj., Mar. 16, 1905.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., B, 1st lt., May 13, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	6th regt. inf.,	Beverly, Mass.
Charles H. Cutler, Cambridge, lt. col., Oct. 7, 1909.	1st batt. inf., A, May 29, 1870; 2d, 5th regt., L, Apr. 8, 1873; sgt., mus. in, K, July 10, 1873; 3d, B, Aug. 3, 1876; 4th, Sept. 15, 1879; 2d lt., Oct. 27, 1879; 1st lt., Feb. 20, 1882; capt., Mar. 12, 1883; res., Apr. 24, 1884; 5th, sig. corps, 1st brig., June 10, 1884; 1st sgt., 1st lt. comdg., Dec. 12, 1884; res., Dec. 19, 1887; 6th, regt. h'dqrs., June 20, 1888; 7th, July 20, 1889; 8th, July 20, 1890; 9th, July 20, 1891; 10th, July 20, 1892; 11th, July 20, 1895; dis., Sept. 9, 1897; marker, guide, sgt. maj.; 26th prov. co., capt., July 20, 1898; res., Apr. 15, 1899; 8th regt., C, capt., June 26, 1900; maj., Apr. 6, 1906.	District of Columbia, N. G., 3 mos.	8th regt. inf.,	Cambridge, Mass.
				Mass. Agri. College, 1873; 4 years, M.D., Harvard, 1879.

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Charles H. Keene, Lowell, lt. col., Mar. 15, 1910.	1st regt. hvy. art., A, Mar. 3, 1897, to Aug. 7, 1897; Jan. 11, 1899, to Jan. 11, 1902; 2d lt., amb. corps, May 3, 1902; 5th regt., 1st lt., asst. surg., July 11, 1904; asst. surg., capt., Jan. 5, 1905; surg. maj., Nov. 15, 1907.	1st Mass. hvy. art., A, May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Med. dept.,	Palmyra, Me.	Harvard Medical.
Guy Murellie, Boston, maj., Jan. 5, 1911.	2d brig., non-com. staff, sgt., clerk, June 28, 1900; trans. to 1st brig., non-com. staff, prov. sgt., Apr. 20, 1901; maj. and aid-de-camp, staff com-in-chief, Jan. 7, 1902; res., Jan. 7, 1903; 1st regt. hvy. art., 1st lt., com. of subsistence, June 21, 1904; capt., com. of subsistence, June 26, 1905; capt., coast art. corps, Mar. 21, 1907; maj., aid-de-camp, staff com-in-chief, July 1, 1908.	1st cav., U. S. V., May 20, 1898; dis., Sept. 17, 1898.	Staff com-in-chief.	Calais, Me.	
William A. Perrins, Jamaica Plain, lt. col., Nov. 15, 1910.	1st batt. cav., D, Apr. 21, 1884; 2d, Apr. 21, 1887; 3d, Feb. 6, 1891; 2d lt., Mar. 6, 1891; res., Nov. 21, 1892; 1st lt., Dec. 23, 1892; capt., Jan. 16, 1895; maj., Dec. 21, 1897.	. . . . .	1st squad. cav.,	Birmingham, Eng.	
Albert L. Wyman, Boston, lt. col., May 7, 1913.	1st batt. cav., hosp. steward, Feb. 27, 1895; 2d, Feb. 27, 1898; trans. to non-com. staff, 2d brig., Dec. 30, 1899; hosp. steward; quar. mas. sgt., Feb. 24, 1902; 3d, Feb. 27, 1902; 4th, Feb. 27, 1903; capt., quar. mas., Apr. 17, 1903; maj., quar. mas., June 26, 1905; maj., quar. mas. gen. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	. . . . .	Quar. mas. gen. dept.	Kittery Point, Me.	

A. Preston Chase, Danvers, lt. col., Jan. 13, 1914.	8th regt., K, Mar. 25, 1891; sgt.; 2d lt., May 16, 1892; 1st lt., May 7, 1894; capt., Oct. 19, 1896; dis., Oct. 29, 1896; 2d, K, Oct. 31, 1896; capt., June 7, 1897; 2d cadets, 1st lt., quar. mas., May 26, 1899; 8th inf., 1st lt., com. of subsistence, Apr. 17, 1900; 8th inf., capt., com. of subsistence, June 26, 1905; maj., com. of subsistence, Nov. 15, 1907.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, capt., Apr. 28, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899.	Danvers, Mass.
Franklin G. Taylor, Marlborough, lt. col., May 27, 1914.	6th regt., F, May 24, 1889; 2d, May 24, 1892; priv., corp., sgt.; 3d, hldrs., May 24, 1893; pay sgt.; F, 2d lt., Jan. 11, 1894; 1st lt., May 4, 1897; capt., Mar. 14, 1899; batt. adj., 1st lt., Apr. 30, 1900; capt., May 10, 1904; maj., May 19, 1910.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., F, 1st lt., May 12, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Aylesford, Nova Scotia.
Edwin G. Barrett, Worcester, lt. col., June 10, 1914.	2d regt., A, May 25, 1885; 2d, May 25, 1888; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., July 18, 1888; capt., Apr. 5, 1894.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., A, capt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	Springfield, Mass.
J. William Voss, Beverly, lt. col., Dec. 29, 1914.	2d corps cadets, 1st lt., asst. surg., July 10, 1896; maj., surg., June 5, 1899; maj., med. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	. . . . .	Gloucester, Mass.
Henry W. Atkins, Boston, maj., Feb. 19, 1895.	1st regt., K, July 27, 1875; dis., July 6, 1876; 1st batt., H, Feb. 10, 1878; 2d, Feb. 10, 1881; corp., sgt.; 1st lt., Jan. 31, 1883; capt., July 22, 1885; elected capt., C, Apr. 11, 1892.	. . . . .	New York, N. Y.
Pharcellus D. Bridges, South Deerfield, maj., May 20, 1895.	2d regt., A, 1871; mus. in, July 26, 1873; 2d lt., Mar. 15, 1875; capt., Aug. 9, 1876; maj., May 3, 1888.	. . . . .	Deerfield, Mass.
Freeman Murray, Lynn, maj., Mar. 3, 1897.	8th regt., D, Apr. 5, 1873; 2d, Apr. 5, 1876; 3d, Apr. 5, 1879; 4th, Apr. 5, 1882; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Feb. 8, 1884; capt., Jan. 2, 1889.	Robinson, Me.
		Co. D, 8th regt. inf.	

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Elijah George, Boston, maj., July 24, 1897.	1st corps cadets, Feb. 5, 1880; 1st brig., capt., judge adv., July 13, 1881; res., Feb. 24, 1882; 2d brig., capt., judge adv., Aug. 12, 1882; maj., asst. insp. gen. rifle prac., June 7, 1894.	2d brig.,	New Rochelle, N. Y.	
William T. Lambert, Bos- ton, maj., July 24, 1897.	1st corps cadets, Mar. 16, 1876; 2d, Mar. 16, 1879; 3d, Aug. 26, 1880; 4th, Oct. 11, 1881; priv., corp.; 2d brig., sgt. maj., July 7, 1882; capt., eng., Jan. 15, 1884; capt., aid-de- camp, Apr. 13, 1891.	. . . . .	2d brig.,	Charlestown, Mass.	
Frank H. Briggs, Boston, maj., Sept. 7, 1897.	1st regt., K, Feb. 5, 1884; sgt. maj., Mar. 6, 1884; A, 2d lt., Apr. 11, 1884; 1st lt., May 6, 1885; capt., May 27, 1885; 1st brig., maj., asst. insp. gen., Jan. 2, 1890.	. . . . .	1st brig.,	Boston, Mass.,	English High, Boston; Mass. Inst. Tech.
Thomas B. Ticknor, Cam- bridge, maj., Feb. 6, 1899.	1st corps cadets, Nov. 14, 1874; 2d, Nov. 14, 1877; 3d, Nov. 14, 1878; 4th, Nov. 14, 1879; sgt. maj., June 16, 1880; 5th, Nov. 14, 1880; 1st lt., Aug. 31, 1881; capt., Jan. 13, 1897.	. . . . .	1st corps ca- dets.	West Rox- bury, Mass.	Chauncy Hall, Boston.
William H. Aline, Boston, maj., Feb. 27, 1899.	2d regt., F, Mar. 27, 1865; dis., June 29, 1867; sgt.; 1st corps cadets, Apr. 28, 1870; corp., Nov. 11, 1872; mus. in, June 14, 1873; sgt., Dec. 15, 1873; 1st sgt., Mar. 4, 1875; sgt. maj., Dec. 23, 1875; 1st lt., Apr. 11, 1876; adj., June 16, 1880; capt., Aug. 10, 1881.	44th M. V. M., C, Sept. 12, 1862; dis., June 18, 1863; priv.	1st corps ca- dets.	Boston, Mass.	
Charles Williamson, Brock- ton, maj., July 26, 1899.	1st regt., I, June 26, 1877; 1st lt., Aug. 15, 1887; capt., Mar. 19, 1888.	. . . . .	Co. I, 1st hvy. art.		

Henry McDonald, Springfield, maj., July 26, 1899.	2d batt. inf., B, Sept. 26, 1876; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Apr. 2, 1887; com. vacated Jan. 11, 1882, decision sup. jud. ct.; re-elected, May 15, 1882; capt., Feb. 9, 1889.	2d inf., U. S. A., C, Mar. 11, 1870; dis., Oct. 23, 1874; corp. sgt.	Co. B, 2d regt. inf.	New York, N. Y.
William L. Stedman, Lawrence, maj., Oct. 17, 1900.	6th regt., K, Apr. 2, 1877; co. trans. to 8th regt., M, Dec. 3, 1878; 2d, May 12, 1880; 3d, June 17, 1881; co. trans. to 1st batt. lgt. art. as C batt., G. O. No. 8, 1889; 1st lt., Mar. 3, 1882; capt., May 24, 1893.	. . . . .	Batt. C, 1st batt. lgt. art.	Leicester, Mass.
Daniel J. Keefe, Somerville, maj., Feb. 20, 1901.	5th regt., B, Mar. 20, 1876; co. disbanded July 6, 1876; 9th regt., A, Feb. 12, 1878; 2d, Mar. 22, 1881; 3d, June 7, 1882; sgt.; 1st lt., Aug. 15, 1882; capt., Apr. 22, 1884; res., June 15, 1885; capt., Nov. 24, 1885; res., Sept. 15, 1888; capt., Sept. 17, 1889.	9th regt. Mass. inf., U. S. V., A, enl. May 4, 1898; mus., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; capt.	Co. A, 9th regt. inf.	Somerville, Mass.
Frederick P. Barnes, Newton, maj., May 14, 1901.	N. E. guards, 35th unatt. co. inf., Nov. 18, 1864; 1st sgt.; co. assgd. to 2d regt., E, Mar. 22, 1865; dis., Nov. 6, 1865; 2d regt., quar. mas. sgt., Sept. 14, 1866; regt. disbanded, June 29, 1867; 1st regt., L, 1st lt., Oct. 10, 1870; res., June 30, 1873; 5th regt., quar. mas., Feb. 20, 1882; 2d brig., capt., quar. mas., Aug. 2, 1897.	. . . . .	2d brig.,	Boston, Mass.
Philip Little, Salem, maj., Oct. 21, 1901.	2d brig., non-com. staff, June 14, 1888; col. sgt.; capt., eng., May 1, 1891; capt., aide-camp, July 9, 1894; capt., 2d corps cadets, Jan. 17, 1896.	. . . . .	2d corps cadets.	Swampscott, Mass.
William J. Williams, Boston, maj., Jan. 30, 1902.	6th regt., L, Mar. 27, 1891; capt., Apr. 20, 1891.	6th inf., U. S. V., L, capt., May 13, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Co. L, 6th regt. inf.	Toronto, Canada.

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Anthony D. Mitten, Lowell, maj., July 1, 1902.	6th regt., C. Jan. 1, 1877; dis., Aug. 27, 1880; 2d, Oct. 11, 1882; dis., June 6, 1885; priv., corp.; 3d, Mar. 3, 1886; dis., May 5, 1887; 9th regt., M. 2d lt., Apr. 2, 1888; 1st lt., May 7, 1891; capt., June 11, 1895.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., M. capt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. M. 9th regt. inf.	Fitchburg, Mass.	
Harry P. Ballard, Malden, maj., Dec. 8, 1903.	2d corps cadets, Sept. 26, 1873; 2d, Sept. 26, 1876; dis., Sept. 26, 1879; priv., corp.; 8th regt., I. capt., July 5, 1883; res., Jan. 22, 1886; 5th regt., 1st lt., adj., Oct. 12, 1888; maj., Aug. 6, 1897; 2d brig., asst. insp. gen., Apr. 22, 1901.	. . . . .	2d brig.,	Salem, Mass.	
John J. Hayes, Boston, maj., June 24, 1904.	9th regt., H. May 2, 1883; 2d, June 28, 1886; priv., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Sept. 23, 1886; 1st lt., Feb. 17, 1888; capt., Feb. 11, 1890.	9th regt. inf., U. S. V., II. capt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. H. 9th regt., inf.	Boston, Mass.	
John S. Keenan, Dorchester, maj., July 6, 1904.	1st regt., D. May 12, 1881; 2d, May 12, 1884; 3d, May 12, 1887; 4th, May 12, 1890; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Apr. 6, 1891; 1st lt., Sept. 14, 1891; 1st lt., quar. mas., Nov. 17, 1897; capt., quar. mas., Apr. 3, 1900; retired as capt., May 14, 1901.	1st hvy. art., U. S. V., 1st lt., quar. mas., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	1st hvy. art.,	Roxbury, Mass.	
James P. Clare, Hudson, maj., Dec. 8, 1904.	6th regt., E. Sept. 10, 1865, to July 27, 1867; 5th regt., I. Mar. 24, 1869; dis., Jan. 19, 1871; M. capt., June 20, 1897; res., Sept. 3, 1899; capt., Dec. 16, 1901, to rank from June 20, 1897.	19th regt., M. V., Aug. 14, 1861; dis., July 25, 1866; 5th regt., Mass. inf., U. S. V., M. capt., July 1, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899; 26th inf., U. S. V., 1st lt., July 3, 1899; mus. out, May 13, 1901.	Co. M. 5th regt. inf.	Chelsea, Mass.	

Thomas F. Quinlan, Boston, maj., Apr. 3, 1905.	9th regt., A, Aug. 7, 1883; 2d, Aug. 7, 1886; 3d, Aug. 7, 1887; 4th, Aug. 7, 1888; 5th, Aug. 7, 1889; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., Sept. 17, 1889; capt., co. C, July 6, 1893.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., C, capt., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. C, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.	
Ernest R. Springer, Newton, maj., Oct. 20, 1905.	6th regt., E, May 1, 1895; trans. to 5th regt., C, July 10, 1895; 2d lt., Aug. 19, 1895; capt., Oct. 26, 1896.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., C, capt., July 3, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	Co. C, 5th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.	Newton High, Newton; Mass. Inst. Tech.
James A. Campbell, Adams, maj., Jan. 29, 1906.	2d regt., M, 1st lt., June 4, 1900; capt., Aug. 5, 1901	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., M, May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; sgt.	Co. M, 2d regt. inf.	Cheshire, Mass.	
Jeremiah J. Moynihan, Worcester, maj., Feb. 21, 1906.	9th regt., G, May 10, 1887; 2d, May 10, 1890; 3d, May 10, 1891; 4th, May 10, 1892; 5th, May 10, 1893; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., June 12, 1893; capt., Aug. 27, 1894.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., G, capt., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. G, 9th regt. inf.	Ireland.	
Charles F. Nostrom, Boston, maj., Mar. 15, 1906.	1st regt., C, Sept. 4, 1882; 2d, Mar. 29, 1886; 3d, Mar. 29, 1887; 4th, Mar. 29, 1888; 5th, Mar. 29, 1889; 6th, Mar. 29, 1890; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Mar. 18, 1891; 1st lt., May 11, 1891; capt., Oct. 16, 1899.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., C, 1st lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	7th co., corps coast art.	Charlestown, Mass.	
Edward E. Sawtell, Springfield, maj., May 11, 1906.	Nav. brig., H, Mar. 6, 1893; 2d, Mar. 6, 1896; seaman, quar. mas., gunner's mate, boat-swain's mate; 3d, 2d regt., K, Mar. 6, 1897; 4th, Mar. 6, 1898; priv., corp.; 1st lt., quar. mas., Feb. 15, 1899; capt., quar. mas., Apr. 3, 1900; capt., adj., Apr. 30, 1900.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., 1st lt., quar. mas., May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	2d regt. inf.,	New Haven, Ct.	
Joseph L. Gibbs, New Bedford, maj., May 31, 1906.	1st regt., E, Jan. 27, 1884; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Dec. 23, 1893; 1st lt., Jan. 11, 1897; capt., Jan. 24, 1898.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., E, capt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	4th co., corps coast art.	New Bedford, Mass.	

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John J. O'Connell, Springfield, maj., Jan. 7, 1907.	2d regt., B, Oct. 1, 1895; 2d, Feb. 1, 1899; 2d lt., Jan. 1, 1900; 1st lt., Sept. 9, 1901; capt., Oct. 5, 1903.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., B, May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; sgt.	Co. B, 2d regt. inf.	Worcester, Mass.	
Walter Sohler, Concord, maj., Mar. 2, 1907.	6th regt., I, Mar. 11, 1899; priv., corp.; 2d lt., June 1, 1901; 1st lt., Dec. 30, 1902; capt., May 19, 1904.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, May 13, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Co. I, 6th regt. inf.	Villisca, Ia.	
Arthur E. Lewis, Plymouth, maj., Mar. 15, 1907.	5th regt., D, Apr. 2, 1888; 2d, Apr. 2, 1891; dis., Sept. 19, 1891; priv., sgt.; 1st lt., Nov. 19, 1894.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., D, 1st lt., July 2, 1898; res., Sept. 16, 1898.	Co. D, 5th regt. inf.	New Bedford, Mass.	
William J. Crosier, Holyoke, maj., Mar. 27, 1907.	2d regt., D, capt., Feb. 14, 1894.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., D, capt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	Co. D, 2d regt. inf.	Hoosick Falls, N. Y.	
John F. Barrett, Milford, maj., Apr. 2, 1907.	6th regt., M, Feb. 22, 1886; 2d, Feb. 22, 1889; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Apr. 29, 1889; res., Apr. 6, 1891; 2d lt., Sept. 15, 1896; capt., Jan. 19, 1907.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., M, capt., May 13, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Co. M, 6th regt. inf.	Milford, Mass.	
Frank D. Phillips, Holyoke, maj., Apr. 3, 1907.	2d regt., D, Sept. 7, 1885; dis., July 10, 1888; 2d, hdqrs., May 21, 1889; 3d, May 21, 1892; 4th, May 21, 1893; 5th, May 21, 1894; 6th, May 21, 1895; marker, gen. guide, sgt. maj.; 7th, D, Aug. 19, 1896; 2d lt., Dec. 2, 1896; capt., July 18, 1899; dis., Apr. 26, 1904.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., D, 2d lt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	Co. D, 2d regt. inf.	North Vassalboro, Me.	

Walter L. Pratt, Chelsea, maj., Apr. 20, 1907.	1st regt., H, Feb. 20, 1889; 2d, Feb. 20, 1892; 2d lt., June 16, 1892; 1st lt., May 14, 1894; capt., Dec. 16, 1895.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., H, capt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	5th co., corps coast art.	Concord, Mass.
Andrew J. Whelan, Fitchburg, maj., May 17, 1907.	6th regt., D, June 9, 1891; 2d, June 9, 1894; 3d, June 9, 1895; 4th, June 9, 1896; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Feb. 15, 1897; 1st lt., May 1, 1899; capt., Nov. 5, 1900; dis., Jan. 20, 1904.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., D, 1st lt., May 13, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Co. D, 6th regt. inf.	Brooklyn, N. Y.
William N. Decker, Concord, maj., May 17, 1907.	6th regt., I, Dec. 26, 1893; 2d, Dec. 26, 1896; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., May 3, 1897; 1st lt., batt. adj., Apr. 30, 1900; asst. surg., capt., May 3, 1904.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, 2d lt., May 12, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	6th regt. inf.,	New York, N. Y.
William S. Warriner, Springfield, maj., May 20, 1907.	Nav. brig., H, Mar. 6, 1893; seaman, coxswain, quar. mas.; 2d regt., K, 1st lt., May 3, 1894; capt., Dec. 18, 1896; dis., Jan. 8, 1901.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, capt., May 8, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	Co. K, 2d regt. inf.	Warren, Mass.
Alexander G. Perkins, Newburyport, maj., June 1, 1907.	8th regt., A, Dec. 12, 1888; 2d, Dec. 12, 1891; corp., sgt., quar. mas. sgt.; 2d lt., Nov. 18, 1892; 1st lt., Jan. 8, 1894; capt., Oct. 12, 1895; dis., Mar. 12, 1902.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., A, capt., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899.	Co. A, 8th regt. inf.	Newburyport, Mass.
James C. D. Clark, Medford, maj., June 8, 1907.	5th regt., E, June 20, 1890, to Jan. 30, 1891; 2d, July 21, 1891, to July 10, 1893; capt., Dec. 15, 1897; retired as maj., Dec. 20, 1905; 5th regt., 1st lt., batt. adj., Jan. 5, 1906.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., E, capt., July 1, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	5th regt. inf.,	Medford, Mass.
William A. Rolfe, Boston, maj., June 20, 1907.	Amb. corps, 2d brig., Mar. 23, 1893; priv., corp.; 1st lt., Feb. 21, 1894; res., Nov. 24, 1897; capt., asst. surg., Nov. 29, 1897.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., asst. surg., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Corps of coast art.	Valparaiso, Chili.
John C. DeWolf, New Bedford, maj., Nov. 6, 1907.	1st regt., E, Apr. 5, 1895; 2d, 1st regt. hvy. art., E, Apr. 12, 1898; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., Feb. 18, 1901; capt., Aug. 6, 1906.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., E, May 9, 1898; dis., Nov. 14, 1898; sgt.	4th co., corps coast art.	New Bedford, Mass.

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Frederick Spenceley, Roxbury, maj., Nov. 12, 1907.	1st regt. hvy. art., D. Apr. 18, 1898; corp.; 2d lt., Apr. 16, 1900; 2d lt., batt. quar. mas. and com., Oct. 1, 1905, to rank from Apr. 16, 1900; 1st lt., batt. adj., May 9, 1906; capt. com., Mar. 21, 1907.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., D. May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Corps of coast art.	Boston, Mass.,	English High, Boston.
Eugene A. Coburn, Somerville, maj., Jan. 17, 1908.	5th regt., L, Sept. 24, 1886; 2d, Sept. 24, 1889; 3d, Feb. 9, 1891; 4th, Feb. 9, 1892; 5th, Feb. 9, 1893; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; trans. to 1st batt. cav., D. Dec. 30, 1893; 6th, Feb. 9, 1894; 7th, Feb. 9, 1895; 8th, Feb. 9, 1896; 9th, Feb. 9, 1897; 10th, Feb. 9, 1898; 11th, May 3, 1899; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Feb. 7, 1900; 1st lt., Jan. 28, 1903; capt., Feb. 1, 1905.	5th regt. Mass. inf., U. S. V., A. June 22, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899; sgt.	Troop D, 1st squad. cav.	Lewiston, Me.	
Thomas E. Jackson, Marlborough, maj., Feb. 8, 1908.	5th regt., I, 1871 to 1873; 6th regt., E, 1873 to 1879; corp., sgt.; 2d lt., F, Jan. 28, 1879; 1st lt., May 20, 1879; capt., Mar. 21, 1881; res., Sept. 11, 1883; 1st lt., Mar. 27, 1884; capt., Jan. 1, 1885; res., Sept. 10, 1887; capt., May 2, 1889; res., Nov. 23, 1893; capt., Mar. 18, 1897; res., Feb. 16, 1899.	Jackson Guards, Albany, N. Y., 1868-1869; 6th regt. Mass. inf., U. S. V., F, May 12, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899; capt.	Co. F, 6th regt. inf.	Salem, Mass.	
George W. Braxton, Wakefield, maj., Mar. 11, 1908.	6th regt., L, May 6, 1887; 2d, May 6, 1890; 3d, May 6, 1893; 4th, May 6, 1894; sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Nov. 23, 1894; 1st lt., Nov. 24, 1899; capt., Feb. 7, 1902.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., L, 2d lt., May 13, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Co. L, 6th regt. inf.	Portsmouth, Va.	

Fred A. Jenks, Chicopee, maj., Apr. 9, 1908.	2d inf., K, May 3, 1894; 2d, May 3, 1897; 3d, May 3, 1898; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., Mar. 22, 1899; capt., Jan. 23, 1901; res., Jan. 29, 1904; 1st lt., batt. adj., May 11, 1904; capt., quar. mas., Nov. 17, 1904.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, enl., May 3, 1898; mus., May 8, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; sgt.	2d regt. inf.,	Chicopee, Mass.
Frederick A. Walker, Charlestown, maj., Apr. 21, 1908.	5th regt., A, June 5, 1893; 2d, June 5, 1896; 3d, June 5, 1897; 4th, June 5, 1898; 5th, June 5, 1900; 6th, June 5, 1901; 7th, June 5, 1902; corp., sgt.; 1st lt., batt. adj., Apr. 14, 1903; capt., adj., May 24, 1905.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., A, June 30, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899; corp.	5th regt. inf.,	Charlestown, Mass.
Charles W. Fahey, Allston, maj., Apr. 23, 1908.	5th regt., B, Mar. 10, 1890; 2d, Mar. 10, 1893; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., July 10, 1893; 1st lt., May 7, 1894; capt., Mar. 30, 1903; retired as maj., June 19, 1907; 5th regt., 2d lt., batt. quar. mas. and com., June 20, 1907.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., B, capt., July 1, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	5th regt. inf.,	Cambridge, Mass.
Peter J. Cannon, Clinton, maj., Apr. 24, 1908.	6th regt., K, Dec. 7, 1885; co. trans. to 9th regt. as K co., Mar. 26, 1888; 2d, Dec. 7, 1888; 3d, Dec. 7, 1889; priv., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Mar. 23, 1891; capt., Feb. 6, 1899; res., June 8, 1903.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, capt., May 4, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. K, 9th regt. inf.	Ireland.
Patrick H. Sullivan, Maplewood, maj., Apr. 25, 1908.	9th regt., H, Apr. 15, 1890; 2d, Apr. 15, 1893; 3d, Apr. 15, 1894; 4th, Apr. 15, 1895; 5th, Apr. 15, 1896; 6th, Apr. 15, 1897; 7th, Apr. 15, 1898; 8th, June 10, 1899; 9th, June 10, 1900; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., June 19, 1900; capt., July 26, 1904.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., H, May 11, 1898; 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Aug. 19, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. H, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.
George M. Rogers, Boston, maj., May 8, 1908.	9th regt., A, July 3, 1888; 2d, July 20, 1891; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Aug. 31, 1891; 1st lt., July 10, 1893; capt., Apr. 16, 1901.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., A, 1st lt., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. A, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.

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Robert McReil, Clinton, maj., May 14, 1908.	9th regt., K, Oct. 5, 1891; 2d, Oct. 5, 1894; 3d, Oct. 5, 1895; 4th, Oct. 5, 1896; 5th, Oct. 5, 1897; 6th, Jan. 9, 1899; 7th, Jan. 9, 1900; 8th, Jan. 9, 1901; 9th, Jan. 9, 1902; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Sept. 8, 1902; capt., Aug. 31, 1903.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, quar. mas. sgt., May 4, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. K, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.	
Philip I. Barbor, Gardner, maj., Nov. 9, 1908.	2d regt., B, Oct. 3, 1876; dis. ex., Oct. 3, 1879; 2d, Sept. 13, 1880; dis., Sept. 13, 1881; 3d, E, Apr. 10, 1885; 4th, Jan. 13, 1887; mus., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Apr. 3, 1890; capt., May 11, 1893; res., Dec. 15, 1898.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., E, capt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	Co. E, 2d regt. inf.	Berlin, Ct.	
Herbert O. Hicks, Adams, maj., Dec. 28, 1908.	2d regt., M, Jan. 16, 1888; 2d, Jan. 16, 1891; 3d, Jan. 16, 1892; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Jan. 9, 1893; 1st lt., Dec. 18, 1893; capt., June 25, 1895; dis., Jan. 7, 1899.	2d regt. Mass. inf., U. S. V., M, May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; capt.	Co. M, 2d regt. inf.	Readsboro, Vt.	
David A. Turner, Springfield, maj., Jan. 9, 1909.	2d regt., K, May 3, 1894, to Sept. 30, 1896; 2d, Jan. 5, 1897; corp.; 2d lt., Mar. 22, 1899; 1st lt., Jan. 23, 1901; capt., Feb. 15, 1905.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; sgt.	Co. K, 2d regt. inf.	Springfield, Mass.	
Herbert W. Whitten, Boston, maj., Feb. 24, 1909.	8th regt., M, Apr. 5, 1888; 2d, 1st regt. inf., col. sgt.; trans. 8th regt. M, Dec. 10, 1891; 3d, Apr. 5, 1892; 4th, Apr. 5, 1893; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Nov. 23, 1893; capt., Dec. 14, 1896; 1st lt., batt. adj., Apr. 27, 1900; capt., K, Mar. 24, 1902; res., Aug. 3, 1903.	8th regt. Mass. inf., U. S. V., M, Apr. 28, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899; capt.	Co. M, 2d regt. inf.	Montville, Me.	

Charles H. Rollins, Boston, maj., Apr. 3, 1909.	1st corps cadets, Jan. 7, 1884; 2d, Jan. 7, 1887; 3d, Jan. 7, 1888; corp., Oct. 11, 1888; 4th, Jan. 7, 1889; 5th, Jan. 7, 1890; 6th, Jan. 7, 1891; 7th, Jan. 7, 1892; sgt., May 16, 1892; 8th, Jan. 7, 1893; 1st sgt., Apr. 12, 1893; 9th, Jan. 7, 1894; 10th, Jan. 7, 1895; 11th, Jan. 7, 1896; 12th, Jan. 7, 1897; sgt. maj., Mar. 9, 1897; 2d lt., Apr. 13, 1897; 1st lt., Mar. 14, 1899; capt., Mar. 24, 1899.	.	.	.	.	.	1st corps ca- dets.	Boston, Mass.,	Chauncy Hall, Boston.
Stanwood G. Sweetser, Stoneham, maj., Aug. 17, 1909.	6th regt., H, Apr. 13, 1893; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Jan. 4, 1888; capt., Dec. 29, 1890; res., Dec. 26, 1896; 1st lt., quar. mas., Mar. 26, 1898; capt., quar. mas., Apr. 3, 1900.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., 1st lt., quar. mas., May 8, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	.	.	.	.	6th regt. inf.,	Stoneham, Mass.	
Winfred A. Sabin, Spring- field, maj., Dec. 1, 1909.	Nav. brig., H, Mar. 1, 1897; 2d, Mar. 7, 1900; 3d, Mar. 7, 1901; boatswain's mate, cox- swain; 2d regt., K, 2d lt., May 29, 1901; 1st lt., Feb. 15, 1905; capt., Jan. 27, 1909.	U. S. N., U. S. S. "Lehigh," May 9, 1898; dis., Sept. 4, 1898; coxswain.	.	.	.	.	Co. K, 2d regt. inf.	Springfield, Mass.	
James E. McGourty, Worces- ter, maj., Dec. 30, 1909.	2d regt., asst. surg., capt., July 17, 1899; maj., surg., May 8, 1905; maj., surg., med. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	.	.	.	.	.	Med. dept.,	Worcester, Mass.	Harvard, M.D.
Edward J. Leyden, Spring- field, maj., Jan. 11, 1910.	2d regt., G, Mar. 20, 1893; corp., Jan. 27, 1899; 2d, Mar. 20, 1896; 3d, Mar. 20, 1897; sgt., May 11, 1897; 2d lt., Feb. 18, 1898; 1st lt., Jan. 31, 1899; capt., Jan. 10, 1905.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., G, 2d lt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	.	.	.	.	Co. G, 2d regt. inf.	Springfield, Mass.	
Patrick J. McNamara, Cam- bridge, maj., Mar. 17, 1910.	5th regt., B, June 2, 1890; 2d, July 2, 1893; 3d, July 2, 1894; 4th, July 2, 1895; 5th, July 2, 1896; 6th, July 2, 1897; 7th, July 2, 1898; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., June 19, 1899; 1st lt., Mar. 30, 1903; capt., quar. mas., June 1, 1905.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., B, 2d lt., July 1, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 1, 1899.	5th regt. inf.,	Somerville, Mass.	

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David Fuller, Fall River, maj., Apr. 5, 1910.	1st regt., M. Dec. 11, 1878; dis., Dec. 11, 1881; 2d, Dec. 20, 1881; dis., Dec. 20, 1882; 3d, Dec. 26, 1882; dis., Dec. 26, 1883; 4th, Dec. 27, 1883; dis., Dec. 27, 1884; 5th, Dec. 30, 1884; dis., Dec. 30, 1885; 6th, Jan. 30, 1886; dis., Jan. 30, 1887; 7th, Feb. 11, 1887; dis., Feb. 11, 1888; 8th, Feb. 21, 1888; 9th, Feb. 21, 1889; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Dec. 10, 1889; 1st lt., Nov. 22, 1892; capt., Feb. 14, 1899.	5th U. S. art. batt., A, Feb. 4, 1867; dis., Feb. 4, 1870; 2d, June 10, 1870; dis., June 10, 1875; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., M, 1st lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	10th co., coast art. corps.	B o h n Kam- nitz, Austria.	
Francis J. Odermatt, Bos- ton, maj., May 31, 1910.	9th regt., H, May 10, 1894; 2d, May 10, 1897; 3d, Feb. 28, 1899; 4th, Feb. 28, 1900; 5th, Feb. 28, 1901; 6th, Feb. 28, 1902; 7th, Feb. 28, 1903; priv., corp., sgt., quar. mas. sgt.; 2d lt., May 5, 1903; 1st lt., July 26, 1904; capt., May 12, 1908.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., H, May 10, 1898; dis., June 3, 1898; priv.	Co. H, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.	
William B. Gould, Jr., Hyde Park, maj., June 14, 1910.	6th regt., L, Sept. 30, 1892; 2d, Sept. 30, 1895; 3d, Sept. 30, 1898; 4th, Sept. 30, 1899; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Nov. 24, 1899; 1st lt., Feb. 7, 1902; capt., Apr. 10, 1908.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., L, sgt., May 6, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Co. L, 6th regt. inf.	Taunton, Mass.	
John F. Kenealy, Natick, maj., July 23, 1910.	9th regt., L, Oct. 1, 1892; 2d, Oct. 1, 1895; 3d, Oct. 1, 1896; 4th, Oct. 1, 1897; 5th, Oct. 1, 1898; priv., corp.; 2d lt., Feb. 8, 1899; 1st lt., July 24, 1899; capt., Jan. 15, 1900.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., L, sgt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. L, 9th regt. inf.	Natick, Mass.	

Francis S. Parker, Nahant, maj., Dec. 19, 1910.	1st corps cadets, Aug. 14, 1888; 2d, 2d brig., N. C. S., Apr. 21, 1891; 3d, Apr. 21, 1894; sgt., col. sgt., capt. eng., July 9, 1894; capt., A. D. C., June 11, 1896; res., Apr. 22, 1901.	5th regt., Mass. inf., U. S. V., H. July 2, 1898; trans. to M., 2d lt., A. D. C., 2d brig., 2d div., 7th army corps; res., Aug. 26, 1898.	2d brig. hdqrs.,	Hong Kong, China.
Ira Vaughn, Salem, maj., Jan. 5, 1911.	2d corps cadets, Aug. 17, 1883, to Aug. 17, 1886; 1st lt., quar. mas., Oct. 6, 1900; capt., June 29, 1903; res., Dec. 7, 1906; 1st lt., pay mas., Dec. 7, 1906; maj., aid-de-camp, staff com.-in-chief, Feb. 4, 1907.	.	Staff com.-in-chief.	New Portland, Me.
Clifford E. Hamilton, Wal- tham, maj., Feb. 7, 1911.	6th regt., A. Sept. 6, 1882, to Dec. 7, 1884; 2d, 5th regt., F., Oct. 30, 1887, to July 3, 1888; 3d, Oct. 7, 1892; corp.; 1st lt., Aug. 7, 1893; capt., July 18, 1899.	Portland cadets, Me., V. M., 1884 to 1886; corp.; 5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., F., 1st lt., July 1, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	.	Portland, Me.
John J. Dwyer, Boston, maj., Mar. 12, 1911.	9th regt., D., June 22, 1891; 2d, June 22, 1894; 3d, June 22, 1895; 4th, June 22, 1896; 5th, June 22, 1897; 6th, June 22, 1898; 7th, July 18, 1899; 8th, July 18, 1900; dis., May 25, 1901, co. dis.; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Mar. 24, 1902; capt., May 17, 1909.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., D., 1st lt., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	.	Boston, Mass.
Bert F. Nichols, Springfield, maj., May 20, 1911.	2d inf., K., Sept. 28, 1896; 2d, Sept. 28, 1899; trans. to hdqrs., May 28, 1900; 3d, Oct. 11, 1900; 4th, Oct. 11, 1901; dis., May 10, 1902; priv., corp., sgt., pay sgt.; 2d lt., batt. quar. mas. and com., May 14, 1906; capt., quar. mas., Apr. 20, 1908.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., K., May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; priv., corp.	2d regt. inf.,	Springfield, Mass.
Edward Leroy Shinn, Med- ford, maj., June 24, 1911.	Amb. corps, Nov. 9, 1897, to Sept. 16, 1899; 2d, May 6, 1902; corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Oct. 17, 1904; 1st lt., June 26, 1905; capt., quar. mas., quar. mas. gen. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	Hosp. corps, U. S. A., June 1, 1898; dis., Feb. 1, 1899.	.	Lynn, Mass.

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C. Warren Leach, Dorchester, maj., Nov. 16, 1911.	1st regt. inf., C. Apr. 27, 1896; 2d, 1st regt. hvy. art., C. Apr. 27, 1899; 3d, Apr. 27, 1902; 4th, Apr. 27, 1905; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., 7th co., Nov. 19, 1906; 1st lt., C. A. C., Dec. 12, 1910; capt., Dec. 14, 1910.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., C. May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; corp.	.	Chelsea, Mass.,	U. S. Garrison School, Fort Banks, Mass.
Daniel P. Sullivan, Cambridge, maj., Nov. 28, 1911.	9th regt., E. Feb. 3, 1890; 2d, Feb. 3, 1893; 3d, Feb. 3, 1896; 4th, Feb. 3, 1899; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., June 13, 1899; capt., C. Jan. 22, 1906.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., E. May 4, 1898; sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Aug. 22, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	.	Boston, Mass.	
David H. Fogg, Dorchester, maj., Dec. 5, 1911.	1st regt. inf., D. June 6, 1892; 2d, June 6, 1895; 3d, 1st regt. hvy. art., D. June 6, 1897; 4th, June 6, 1900; 5th, June 6, 1903; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Nov. 27, 1905; capt., July 5, 1911.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., D. May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; 1st sgt.	1st Co., C.A.C.,	Chelsea, Mass.,	English High, Boston.
John F. Hurley, Worcester, maj., Dec. 14, 1911.	9th regt., G. July 19, 1887; 2d, July 19, 1890; 3d, July 19, 1891; 4th, Sept. 26, 1892; 5th, Sept. 26, 1893; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Aug. 27, 1894; capt., June 25, 1906.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., G. 1st lt., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	.	Worcester, Mass.	

Asa L. Phelps, Boston, maj., Jan. 15, 1912.	9th regt., E, June 6, 1899; priv., trans. to non-com. staff, July 7, 1900; 2d, June 6, 1902; 3d, June 6, 1903; 4th, June 6, 1904; sgt. maj.; 2d lt., batt. quar. mas. and com. of subsistence, June 26, 1905; 1st lt., C, Apr. 2, 1906; capt., adj., Apr. 16, 1907.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., E, May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; priv.	9th regt. inf., Mich.	Battle Creek,
Frederick W. Harrison, Fall River, maj., Apr. 4, 1912.	1st regt., M, Dec. 21, 1886; 2d, Dec. 21, 1889; 3d, Dec. 21, 1892; 4th, Dec. 21, 1895; 5th, Dec. 21, 1896; corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Dec. 21, 1897; 1st lt., Feb. 14, 1899; ret. as capt., May 14, 1906; capt., Apr. 12, 1910.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., M, 1st lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	12th Co., C, A. C.	Fall River, Mass.
John Nicholson, Pittsfield, maj., Apr. 18, 1912.	2d batt. inf., E, 2d lt., Sept. 3, 1877; dis., Aug. 15, 1879; co. disbanded; 2d inf., F, capt., June 6, 1901.	.	Co. F, 2d regt. inf.	New York, N. Y.
Harry C. Young, Worcester, maj., Apr. 29, 1912.	2d regt., H, May 2, 1894; 2d, May 2, 1897; 3d, May 2, 1898; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Mar. 24, 1899; 1st lt., Sept. 29, 1899; capt., May 16, 1900.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., H, May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; sgt.	Co. H, 2d regt. inf.	Providence, R. I.
George F. Guilford, Newtonville, maj., June 11, 1912.	5th regt., C, May 28, 1894; 2d, May 28, 1897; 3d, May 28, 1898; 4th, May 28, 1899; priv., corp., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., June 19, 1899; capt., Oct. 23, 1905.	5th regt., Mass. inf., U. S. V., C, June 22, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899; sgt.	Co. C, 5th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.
Harry C. Wakefield, Springfield, maj., Nov. 6, 1912.	2d regt., B, June 25, 1892; 2d, K, Oct. 3, 1895; 3d, Nov. 18, 1896; 4th, B, Feb. 1, 1899; 5th, Feb. 1, 1900; 6th, Feb. 1, 1901; 7th, Feb. 1, 1902; 8th, Feb. 1, 1903; 9th, Feb. 1, 1904; 10th, Feb. 1, 1905; 11th, Feb. 1, 1906; dis., Feb. 1, 1907; priv., corp., sgt., quar. mas. sgt.; 2d lt., Mar. 25, 1907; 1st lt., June 6, 1910; capt., Aug. 14, 1911.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., B, May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; priv.	Co. B, 2d regt. inf.	Winchendon, Mass.

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James C. Barr, Boston, maj., Nov. 15, 1912.	8th regt., May 29, 1896; sgt. maj.; 1st lt., pay mas., Feb. 15, 1897; capt., pay mas., Apr. 3, 1900; capt., pay mas., Nov. 15, 1907.	Pay dept.,	Medford, Mass.,	Boston Latin.
Herbert E. Lombard, Cambridge, maj., Aug. 9, 1912.	B, 4th batt. inf., Feb. 16, 1875; dis., exp., Feb. 16, 1878; 2d. June 15, 1878; dis., exp., June 15, 1879; 3d. B, 1st regt. inf., June 23, 1879; 4th, Aug. 18, 1880; 5th, Sept. 5, 1881; 6th, Sept. 5, 1882; dis., exp., Sept. 5, 1883; 7th, Mar. 10, 1884; dis., exp., Mar. 10, 1887; 8th, Mar. 10, 1887; 9th, Mar. 10, 1888; dis., exp., Mar. 10, 1889; 10th, Sept. 20, 1894; 11th, Sept. 20, 1895; 12th, Oct. 20, 1896; 13th, 1st regt. hvy. art., B, Oct. 20, 1897; 14th, Oct. 20, 1898; 15th, Oct. 20, 1899; 16th, Oct. 20, 1900; 17th, Oct. 20, 1901; dis., exp., Oct. 20, 1904; 18th, Oct. 20, 1904; 19th, Oct. 20, 1905; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., 6th co., corps of coast art., Feb. 26, 1906; 1st lt., June 17, 1907; ret. as capt., Aug. 9, 1911.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., B, May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; corp.	6th Co., C.A.C.,	Lowell, Mass.	
Lawrence W. Cook, North Attleborough, maj., Jan. 4, 1913.	5th regt., I, June 21, 1896; 2d. June 21, 1899; sgt.; 2d lt., Jan. 15, 1900; 1st lt., May 9, 1904; capt., Nov. 13, 1905.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, June 22, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899; sgt.		Valley Falls, R. I.	

Alonzo F. Woodside, Cambridge, maj., Feb. 5, 1913.	1st reg. inf., B, Mar. 4, 1889; 2d, Mar. 4, 1892; 3d, Mar. 4, 1893; 4th, Mar. 4, 1894; 5th, Mar. 4, 1895; 6th, Mar. 4, 1896; 7th, Mar. 4, 1897; 8th, 1st regt. hvy. art., B, Mar. 4, 1898; dis., Dec. 20, 1898; 9th, July 28, 1902; 10th, July 28, 1903; 11th, July 28, 1904; 12th, July 28, 1905; 13th, corps coast art., 6th co., July 28, 1906; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., June 17, 1907; 1st lt., Feb. 13, 1911; capt., June 12, 1911.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., B, May 9, 1898; dis., Oct. 22, 1898, pay mas. clerk, U. S. Army; 26th inf., U. S. V., I, Sept. 8, 1899; trans. to D co.; mus. out, May 13, 1901; priv., sgt., 1st sgt.	6th Co., C.A.C.,	Boston, Mass.,	U. S. Coast Artillery School, Fort Banks.
William L. Swan, South Weymouth, maj., Mar. 7, 1913.	1st regt. inf., H, Jan. 18, 1888; 2d Jan. 18, 1891; 3d, Jan. 18, 1892; priv., corp., sgt.; L, 2d lt., Mar. 9, 1894; 1st lt., Mar. 20, 1895; res., Apr. 10, 1899; 4th, 1st cav., D, June 14, 1899; 5th, June 14, 1900; 6th, June 14, 1901; 7th, June 14, 1902; 8th, June 14, 1903; 9th, June 14, 1904; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Mar. 15, 1905; 1st lt., Jan. 21, 1908; capt., C, Mar. 1, 1910.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., L, 1st lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 4, 1898.	Troop C, 1st sqd. cav.	South Paris, Me.	
Thomas F. Sullivan, South Boston, maj., Apr. 17, 1913.	9th regt., I, July 10, 1899; trans. to non-com. staff, batt. sgt. maj., July 16, 1901; 2d lt., I, Mar. 24, 1902; 1st lt., May 17, 1909; capt., May 2, 1910.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; wagoner.	Co. D, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.,	English High, Boston.
Sydney H. Cliffe, Adams, maj., Apr. 28, 1913.	1st regt., D, Nov. 23, 1896, to Mar. 3, 1897; 2d regt., May 14, 1897; 3d, May 14, 1900; 2d lt., June 4, 1900; 1st lt., Aug. 5, 1901; res., Nov. 27, 1905; 1st lt., Mar. 12, 1906; capt., July 16, 1906; retired as maj., Aug. 17, 1908; 1st lt. batt. adj., June 30, 1910.	2d regt. Mass. inf., U. S. V., M, May 3, 1898, corp.; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	2d regt. inf.,	Blackburn, Eng.	

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John J. Hickey, South Boston, maj., May 15, 1913.	9th regt., B, Feb. 28, 1893; 2d, Apr. 7, 1896; 3d, Apr. 7, 1897; 4th, Mar. 28, 1899; 1st lt., July 21, 1899; dis., Aug. 1, 1899; 5th, July 21, 1899; 1st lt., Oct. 3, 1899; capt., July 26, 1904.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., B, May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; sgt., quar. mas. sgt.	Co. B, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.	
Edwin D. Towle, Salem, maj., June 3, 1913.	6th regt., asst. surg., 1st lt., June 6, 1907; 1st lt., asst. surg., med. dept., Nov. 15, 1907; capt., May 20, 1912.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., hosp. steward, May 6, 1898; dis., Jan. 21, 1899.	Med. dept.,	Dover, N. H.	
Clarence E. Smith, Worcester, maj., Aug. 21, 1913.	2d regt., H, May 2, 1894; 2d, May 2, 1897; 3d, May 2, 1898; 4th, July 19, 1899; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Sept. 29, 1899; 1st lt., May 16, 1900; capt., May 24, 1912.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., H, May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; quar. mas. sgt.	Co. H, 2d regt. inf.	Worcester, Mass.	
Charles A. Dawson, Salem, maj., Aug. 21, 1913.	1st regt., B, Sept. 22, 1888; 2d, Sept. 22, 1891; 3d, Sept. 22, 1892; 4th, Sept. 22, 1893; priv., mus., trans. to hdqrs., Aug. 5, 1896; 5th, C, 1st hvy. art., Sept. 22, 1896; 6th, Nov. 29, 1897; 7th, Nov. 29, 1898; 8th, Nov. 29, 1899; priv., mus., corp.; 9th, 8th regt., I, June 20, 1891; 10th, June 20, 1902; 11th, June 20, 1903, to June 30, 1903; priv., sgt., quar. mas. sgt.; 12th, Sept. 1, 1903, to Mar. 30, 1904; priv., 8th regt., H, 1st lt., Aug. 15, 1904; capt., Feb. 25, 1909.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., C, May 20, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Co. H, 8th regt. inf.	Halifax, N. S.	

William R. Murphy, Woburn, maj., Oct. 13, 1913.	6th regt., H. Aug. 29, 1888; 2d, Aug. 29, 1891; dis., Mar. 19, 1892; 3d, A. May 30, 1893; 4th, May 30, 1894; dis., Mar. 30, 1895; H. June 7, 1895; dis., June 7, 1896; 5th, A. Oct. 30, 1897; dis., Oct. 30, 1898; 6th, June 18, 1901; 7th, June 18, 1902; dis., June 18, 1903; 9th inf., capt., insp. small arms prac., July 5, 1907; capt., ord. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	6th regt., Mass. inf., U. S. V., A. mus.; hdqrs., prin. mus.; enl., May 6, 1898; mus., May 12, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Ordnance dept.	Stoneham, Mass.
William Butement, Springfield, maj., Feb. 12, 1914.	2d regt., G. Mar. 20, 1893; 2d, Mar. 20, 1896; 3d, Mar. 20, 1897; 4th, Mar. 20, 1898; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Jan. 31, 1899; 1st lt., Jan. 10, 1905; dis., Mar. 16, 1905; 1st lt., Jan. 28, 1907; capt., May 17, 1910.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., G. May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; 1st sgt.	Co. G, 2d regt.,	Leith, Scot.
Joseph A. Smith, Worcester, maj., Feb. 28, 1914.	1st lt., pay mas., 1st batt. field art., Mar. 18, 1907; capt., pay dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	21st U. S. inf., K. July 29, 1898, to Oct. 15, 1898; priv.	Pay dept.,	Worcester, Mass.
George I. Canfield, Somerville, maj., June 8, 1914.	8th regt., M. June 3, 1886; 2d, June 3, 1889; 3d, June 3, 1890; 4th, Sept. 28, 1891; 5th, Sept. 28, 1892; 6th, Sept. 28, 1893; 7th, Sept. 28, 1894; 8th, Sept. 28, 1895; 9th, Sept. 28, 1896; priv., sgt.; 1st lt., Dec. 14, 1896; capt., May 28, 1900; maj., May 15, 1908.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., M. 1st lt., May 11, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899.	8th regt. inf.,	Somerville, Mass.
Patrick F. Butler, Dorchester, maj., Dec. 1, 1914.	9th regt., asst. surg., 1st lt., Apr. 6, 1904; asst. surg., capt., May 8, 1905; asst. surg., med. dept., capt., Nov. 15, 1907; maj., med. dept., Jan. 7, 1910.	. . . . .	9th regt. inf.,	Boston, Mass.
Horace F. Wilson, Westford, capt., Sept. 1, 1893.	Co. F, cav., 1867; priv.; mus. in, June 21, 1873; 2d, June 21, 1876; 3d, June 21, 1879; 4th, June 21, 1882; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., June 1, 1883; 1st lt., Apr. 23, 1885; capt., Dec. 21, 1888.	Co. F, cav.,	Billerica, Mass.

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John G. Warner, Lynn, capt., Nov. 9, 1893.	8th regt., D, Nov. 14, 1864; corp.; 2d lt., Mar. 24, 1868; 1st lt., Mar. 11, 1873; capt., Mar. 8, 1875; res., June 1, 1878; 1st lt., pay mas., July 28, 1879.	8th regt. inf., .	Boston, Mass.,	Chauncy Hall, Boston.
Charles W. Brown, Holyoke, capt., Jan. 22, 1894.	2d regt., D, Dec. 17, 1878; corp.; 1st lt., Aug. 17, 1880; capt., June 7, 1881.	. . . . .	Co. D, 2d regt. inf.	Epsom, N. H.	
Charles C. Meldier, Boston, capt., Feb. 17, 1894.	1st corps cadets, Apr. 10, 1867; corp., May 18, 1869; quar. mas. sgt., 1872; mus. in, June 14, 1873; 1st lt., quar. mas., Feb. 9, 1875; dis., Apr. 28, 1876; reapp., Apr. 29, 1876; com. vacated, Jan. 11, 1882, decision sup. jud. ct.; reapp., Jan. 13, 1882.	N. H., militia, priv.,	1st corps cadets.	Portsmouth, N. H.	
Herbert F. Staples, Medford, capt., Dec. 11, 1894.	8th regt., H, June 28, 1878; 2d, June 28, 1881; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., July 23, 1884; capt., June 3, 1886.	. . . . .	Co. H, 8th regt. inf.	Broomfield, Vt.	
Charles H. Edgell, Gardner, capt., Dec. 12, 1894.	2d regt., F, 1st lt., May 20, 1884; capt., Sept. 16, 1890.	. . . . .	Co. F, 2d regt. inf.	Gardner, Mass.	
Horace M. Parsons, Somerville, capt., Dec. 4, 1896.	8th regt., M, June 3, 1886; 2d lt., May 16, 1889; 1st lt., June 13, 1889; capt., Oct. 12, 1891.	. . . . .	Co. M, 8th regt. inf.	Rockport, Mass.	
Henry B. Goodbridge, Lynn, capt., Mar. 3, 1897.	7th batt., F, Mar. 22, 1875; dis., Aug. 15, 1878; 2d, 8th regt., D, Mar. 1, 1880; 3d, Mar. 1, 1883; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., June 25, 1886; 1st lt., Jan. 2, 1889; capt., 32d co. prov. mil., Aug. 8, 1893; dis., Apr. 15, 1899.	. . . . .	Co. D, 8th regt. inf.	Lynn, Mass.	

George A. Sanborn, Lawrence, capt., Mar. 17, 1898.	8th regt., M, Apr. 8, 1881; co. trans. to 1st batt. lt. art., as batt. C, G. O. No. 8, 1886; 2d, Apr. 8, 1884; 3d, Apr. 8, 1885; 4th, Apr. 8, 1886; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., May 25, 1886; 1st lt., Oct. 14, 1887.	.	.	.	.	Batt. C, 1st batt. lt. art.	Lawrence, Mass.
William F. Shaugnessy, Clinton, capt., May 16, 1898.	6th regt., K, Dec. 7, 1885; 1st lt., Mar. 28, 1888; capt., K, 9th, Mar. 23, 1891.	.	.	.	.	Co. K, 9th regt. inf.	Bolton, Mass.
Frank S. Horton, Salem, capt., Aug. 26, 1898.	2d corps cadets, Sept. 16, 1880; 2d, Sept. 21, 1883; 3d, Sept. 21, 1884; 4th, Sept. 21, 1885; 5th, Sept. 21, 1886; 2d lt., July 1, 1887; 1st lt., July 20, 1888; capt., Jan. 20, 1894.	.	.	.	.	2d corps cadets.	Ipswich, Mass.
J. Edward R. Hill, Boston, capt., Jan. 6, 1899.	1st corps cadets, Dec. 24, 1873; 2d, Dec. 24, 1876; corp., sgt., 1st sgt., sgt. maj.; 1st lt., July 18, 1879; 1st lt., adj., Mar. 23, 1883.	.	.	.	.	1st corps cadets.	West Roxbury, Mass.
Charles D. Colson, Holyoke, capt., Feb. 8, 1899.	6th regt., G, 1865 to 1869; corp.; 2d regt., K, 2d lt., Mar. 9, 1876; dis., Nov. 29, 1876; D, 1st lt., Dec. 23, 1878; 1st lt., quar. mas., Aug. 14, 1879; dis., Apr. 21, 1881; 1st lt., quar. mas., July 16, 1881.	.	.	.	.	2d regt. inf.,	Lowell, Mass.
Raaben W. Ropes, Salem, capt., June 3, 1899.	2d corps cadets, Nov. 6, 1882; 2d, Nov. 6, 1885; 3d, Nov. 6, 1888; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., June 3, 1889; capt., July 12, 1895.	.	.	.	.	2d corps cadets.	Salem, Mass.
Edward B. Carr, Lowell, capt., Dec. 18, 1900.	6th regt., G, Aug. 19, 1885; 2d, Sept. 7, 1888; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Apr. 8, 1890; capt., Aug. 24, 1892.	.	.	.	.	Co. G, 6th regt. inf.	Brooks, Me.
William B. Clarke, Boston, capt., Feb. 14, 1901.	30th unatt. co., changed to 2d regt., C, Sept., 1864, to Mar., 1867; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st corps cadets, Jan. 17, 1876; 2d, Jan. 17, 1879; 3d, Jan. 17, 1882; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt., sgt. maj.; 1st lt., May 22, 1882; 1st lt., quar. mas., May 8, 1883.	1st corps cadets.	Northampton, Mass.

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Ulysses A. Goodell, Southbridge, capt., May 13, 1901.	6th regt., K, Apr. 2, 1888; mus.; 2d lt., May 2, 1890; 1st lt., Mar. 6, 1891; capt., Mar. 10, 1893.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, capt., May 13, 1898; res., Aug. 5, 1898.	Co. K, 6th regt. inf.	Southbridge, Mass.	
Austin Peters, Boston, capt., Oct. 29, 1901.	1st batt. cav., 1st lt., veterinary surg., June 29, 1891.	. . . . .	1st batt. cav., .	Roxbury, Mass.,	Mass. Agricultural College; Amherst Vet. College; M. R. C. V. S., London.
Myles Standish, Boston, capt., Dec. 2, 1901.	Ambulance corps, 1st brig.; 2d lt., Mar. 1, 1889; 1st lt., May 19, 1893; capt., Apr. 20, 1894.	. . . . .	Ambulance corps.	Boston, Mass.,	Bowdoin, 1875-1878; Harvard, 1879.
Henry W. Sprague, Boston, capt., Feb. 4, 1902.	Signal corps, 2d brig., June 4, 1886; 2d, June 4, 1889; 3d, June 4, 1890; 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Apr. 20, 1891.	U. S. V., signal corps, 2d lt., May 20, 1898; 1st lt., July 7, 1898; dis., Dec. 10, 1898.	2d brig., signal corps.	Boston, Mass.	
John E. Day, Allston, capt., Mar. 25, 1902.	1st regt., B, Sept. 5, 1881; 2d, Sept. 5, 1884; 3d, Sept. 5, 1885; 4th, Sept. 5, 1888; 5th, Sept. 5, 1889; 6th, Sept. 5, 1890; 7th, Sept. 5, 1891; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Sept. 21, 1891.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., B, 1st lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Co. B, 1st hvy. art.		
Edward E. Mason, Cambridge, capt., Mar. 21, 1903.	5th regt., B, July 12, 1886; 2d, July 12, 1889; 3d, July 12, 1890; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., May 18, 1891; capt., July 10, 1893.	. . . . .	Co. B, 5th regt. inf.	Cambridge, Mass.	

Ferdinand H. Phillips, Taunton, capt., May 1, 1903.	1st regt., F. Aug. 22, 1887; 2d, Aug. 22, 1890; 3d, Aug. 22, 1891; 4th, Aug. 22, 1892; corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Feb. 20, 1893.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., F. 1st lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Co. F, 1st hvy. art.	Taunton, Mass.
Valentine E. Gilson, Somerville, capt., July 27, 1904.	5th regt., H. July 20, 1891; 2d, July 20, 1894; 3d, July 20, 1895; 4th, July 20, 1896; 5th, July 20, 1897; 6th, July 20, 1898; 7th, July 20, 1899; 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Oct. 12, 1899; capt., Jan. 9, 1903.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., M. May 11, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 30, 1899; corp.	Co. H, 5th regt. inf.	Somerville, Mass.
Charles H. Kimball, Milford, capt., Apr. 2, 1906.	6th regt., M. Aug. 26, 1880; 2d, Aug. 26, 1892; 3d, Aug. 26, 1895; 4th, Aug. 26, 1896; sgt.; 1st lt., Oct. 19, 1897.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., M. 1st lt., May 13, 1898; res., June 28, 1898.	Co. M, 6th regt. inf.	Hopedale, Mass.
Charles E. Stearns, Waltham, capt., July 2, 1906.	1st corps cadets, July 3, 1893; 2d, July 3, 1896; 3d, July 3, 1897; 5th regt., F. 2d lt., Mar. 10, 1898; 1st lt., July 13, 1899; dis., Mar. 16, 1903.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., F. 2d lt., July 1, 1898; res., Oct. 20, 1898.	Co. F, 5th regt. inf.	Waltham, Mass.
John B. Paine, Weston, capt., July 19, 1906.	1st regt., May 7, 1894; orderly; 1st lt., insp. rifle prac., June 20, 1894; 1st lt., range officer, Apr. 24, 1899.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., 1st lt., range officer, May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Corps coast art.	Boston, Mass.
George W. Langdon, Newburyport, capt., Oct. 22, 1906.	1st cadets, Oct. 14, 1890; 2d, Oct. 14, 1893; trans. to 8th regt., A. Apr. 20, 1895; corp., 2d lt., Dec. 10, 1895; 1st lt., insp. rifle prac., 8th inf., Nov. 10, 1899; dis., Feb. 13, 1902.	8th regt. Mass. inf., U. S. V., A. May 11, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899; 1st lt.	8th regt. inf.	Baltimore, Md.
Norman P. Cormack, Boston, capt., Oct. 30, 1906.	1st regt. inf., D. June 30, 1890; 2d, June 30, 1893; 3d, June 30, 1896; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., Jan. 17, 1898.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., D. 1st lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	1st co., corps coast art.	Halifax, N. S.
Edward A. Maloon, Beverly, capt., Oct. 30, 1906.	2d corps cadets, 1864; mus. in, July 2, 1873; 2d, July 2, 1876; 3d, July 2, 1879; 1st sgt., sgt. maj.; 2d lt., Feb. 8, 1882; 1st lt., pay mas., Apr. 28, 1883.	2d corps cadets.	Salem, Mass.

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John F. Delaney, South Boston, capt., Jan. 31, 1907.	9th regt., I, Jan. 16, 1890; 2d, Feb. 23, 1893; 3d, Mar. 20, 1894; 4th, Apr. 15, 1895; 5th, Mar. 6, 1899; 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Aug. 9, 1899.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; sgt.	Co. I, 9th inf.	Boston, Mass.	English High, Boston.
Henry B. Clapp, Boston, capt., May 8, 1907.	1st batt. lgt. art., col. sgt., July 10, 1890; quar. mas. sgt., June 1, 1892; 1st lt., pay mas., May 24, 1893; 1st lt., adj., June 1, 1905.	. . . . .	1st batt. lt. art.	Boston, Mass.	
Charles E. Green, Natick, capt., June 22, 1907.	9th regt., I, Sept. 1, 1895; 2d, Sept. 1, 1898; 3d, Sept. 1, 1899; 4th, Sept. 1, 1900; 5th, Sept. 1, 1901; sgt.; 2d lt., May 26, 1902; 1st lt., Aug. 23, 1904.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., L, May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; corp.	Co. L, 9th regt. inf.	Natick, Mass.	
Albert A. Gleason, Boston, capt., Jan. 8, 1908.	1st regt. inf., C, Dec. 21, 1896; trans. to K, Nov. 15, 1897; 2d lt., Nov. 29, 1897; 1st lt., June 12, 1899.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., K, May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; 2d lt.	2d co., coast art. corps.	Medford, Mass.	
Mathew E. Hines, Worcester, capt., Mar. 30, 1908.	9th regt., G, May 10, 1887; 2d, May 10, 1890; 3d, May 10, 1891; 4th, May 10, 1892; 5th, May 10, 1893; 2d lt., July 22, 1893; 1st lt., Aug. 27, 1894.	. . . . .	Co. G, 9th regt. inf.	Falls Village, Ct.	
Willard M. Foster, Lowell, capt., Dec. 19, 1908.	6th regt., C, Jan. 1, 1879; 2d lt., May 25, 1881; res., Feb. 15, 1886; 2d, Oct. 25, 1887; 3d, Oct. 25, 1890; 4th, Oct. 25, 1891; 5th, Oct. 25, 1892; dis., exp., Oct. 25, 1893; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 6th, 1st regt. hvy. art., C, June 28, 1897; priv., corp.; 1st lt., batt. adj., 1st regt. hvy. art., June 25, 1900.	. . . . .	Coast art. corps.	Clinton, Mass.	

William S. Tolman, Boston, capt., Dec. 30, 1908.	5th regt., A, Oct. 30, 1885; 2d, Oct. 30, 1888; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Dec. 10, 1888; res., Jan. 23, 1900.	5th regt. Mass. inf., U. S. V., A, 1st lt., June 30, 1898; res., Jan. 24, 1899.	Co. A, 5th regt. inf.	Charlestown, Mass.	Boston Latin.
Clifford L. Harris, Allston, capt., Dec. 31, 1908.	1st regt. inf., L, Dec. 13, 1893; 2d, Dec. 13, 1896; 3d, 1st regt. hvy. art., L, Dec. 13, 1897; 4th, Dec. 13, 1898; 5th, Dec. 13, 1899; 6th, Dec. 13, 1900; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Dec. 26, 1900; 1st lt., June 19, 1901.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., L, May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; sgt.	11th co., coast art. corps.	Bayonne, N. J.	
Benjamin J. Flanigan, Cam- bridge, capt., May 4, 1909.	9th regt., H, Dec. 11, 1883; 2d, Dec. 11, 1886; 3d, Jan. 9, 1888; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Feb. 17, 1888; 1st lt., Feb. 11, 1890; 1st lt., batt. adj., May 15, 1900.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., H, 1st lt., May 10, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	9th regt. inf.,	New York, N. Y.	
William J. Meek, Fall River, capt., May 20, 1909.	1st regt. inf., M, Sept. 4, 1883; 2d, Sept. 4, 1886; 3d, Sept. 4, 1887; 4th, Sept. 4, 1888; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Feb. 5, 1889; dis., Feb. 27, 1889; 5th, F, Nov. 7, 1892; 2d lt., Feb. 20, 1893; M, 2d lt., Apr. 25, 1899; 1st lt., June 19, 1906.	.	12th co., coast art. corps.	Fall River, Mass.	
James N. Clark, Salem, capt., Nov. 14, 1909.	2d corps cadets, Sept. 13, 1889; 2d, Sept. 13, 1892; 3d, Sept. 13, 1893; 4th, Sept. 13, 1894; 5th, Sept. 13, 1895; 6th, Sept. 13, 1896; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; sgt. maj., 2d lt., July 7, 1899; 1st lt., Dec. 14, 1900; capt., Jan. 4, 1907.	.	2d corps ca- dets.	St. John, N. B.	
Robert Robertson, Beverly, capt., Dec. 31, 1909.	2d corps cadets, Nov. 16, 1888; 2d, Nov. 16, 1891; 3d, Nov. 16, 1892; 4th, Nov. 16, 1893; 5th, Nov. 16, 1894; priv., corp., sgt., quar. mas. sgt.; 8th regt. inf., E, 2d lt., Sept. 26, 1895; 1st lt., Feb. 14, 1896; capt., Dec. 4, 1896; res., Feb. 11, 1897; 2d cadets, 1st lt., insp. rifle prac., Apr. 22, 1899; 1st lt., ord. officer, ord. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	.	Ordnance dept.	Aberdeen, Scot.	

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Martin J. Healey, Clinton, capt., Mar. 7, 1910.	9th regt., K, Apr. 9, 1888; 2d, Apr. 9, 1891; 3d, Apr. 9, 1892; 4th, Apr. 9, 1893; 5th, Apr. 9, 1894; 6th, Apr. 9, 1895; 7th, Apr. 9, 1896; 8th, Apr. 9, 1897; 2d lt., May 17, 1897; dis., June 22, 1897; 2d lt., July 9, 1897; 1st lt., Feb. 6, 1899; 1st lt., batt. adj., May 26, 1902.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., K, May 4, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; 1st lt.	9th regt. inf.,	Clinton, Mass.	
James E. Totten, Taunton, capt., June 20, 1910.	1st regt., F, Oct. 11, 1889; 2d, Oct. 11, 1892; 3d, Oct. 11, 1893; 4th, Oct. 11, 1894; 5th, Oct. 11, 1895; 6th, Oct. 11, 1896; 7th, Oct. 11, 1897; dis., Oct. 11, 1898; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., June 20, 1900.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., F, 2d lt., May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898.	Coast art. corps,	Taunton, Mass.,	Taunton High.
Chester W. French, Northampton, capt., June 30, 1910.	2d inf., I, Dec. 16, 1895; 2d, Jan. 14, 1899; priv., corp.; 2d lt., Jan. 31, 1899; 1st lt., Aug. 7, 1899; capt., Oct. 6, 1902; res., Jan. 8, 1904; 1st lt., batt. adj., Nov. 17, 1904.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; priv., corp., quar. mas. sgt.	2d regt. inf.,	Northampton, Mass.	
George A. Wardwell, Wollaston, capt., July 7, 1910.	5th regt., K, Dec. 13, 1897, to Aug. 10, 1899; non-com. staff batt. sgt. maj., July 6, 1901; 2d, July 6, 1904; 1st lt., batt. adj., June 1, 1905.	5th regt. inf., U. S. V., K, June 30, 1898; dis., Nov. 25, 1898; corp.	5th regt. inf.,	Clinton, Me.	
James H. Mann, Malden, capt., July 14, 1910.	5th regt., L, Sept. 8, 1886; 2d, Sept. 8, 1889; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., June 18, 1890; 1st lt., Feb. 8, 1892.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., L, 1st lt., July 1, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	Co. L, 5th regt. inf.	Malden, Mass.	

Jeremiah F. Scully, Springfield, capt., Aug. 25, 1910.	2d regt., G, Apr. 18, 1891; 2d, Apr. 18, 1894; 3d, Apr. 18, 1895; 4th, Apr. 18, 1896; 5th, Apr. 18, 1897; 6th, Apr. 18, 1898; 7th, June 27, 1899; 8th, June 27, 1900; 9th, June 27, 1901; 10th, June 27, 1902; 11th, June 27, 1903; 12th, June 27, 1904; corp., sgt., quar. mas. sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Jan. 10, 1905; 1st lt., Apr. 4, 1905.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., G, May 3, 1898; quar. mas. sgt.; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898.	Co. G, 2d regt. inf.	New York, N. Y.
Samuel B. Sampson, Brookton, capt., Nov. 3, 1910.	1st regt. inf., I, Sept. 28, 1891; 2d, Sept. 28, 1894; 3d, Sept. 28, 1895; 4th, Sept. 28, 1896; 5th, 1st regt. hvy. art., I, Sept. 28, 1897; 6th, Sept. 28, 1898; 7th, Sept. 28, 1899; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., June 18, 1900; 1st lt., Mar. 17, 1902.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., I, May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; sgt.	10th co., coast art. corps.	Middleborough, Mass.
Bernard F. McArdle, Lowell, capt., Mar. 27, 1911.	9th regt., M, July 17, 1899, to Sept. 10, 1900; Mar. 2, 1903; 2d lt., June 11, 1903; 1st lt., Aug. 4, 1904.	18th U. S. inf., C, Aug. 14, 1900, to Feb. 15, 1903; sgt.	Co. M, 9th regt. inf.	Lowell, Mass.
Harry R. Peach, Salem, capt., Apr. 3, 1911.	2d corps cadets, July 11, 1887; 2d, July 11, 1890; 3d, July 11, 1891; 4th, July 11, 1892; dis., July 11, 1893; 5th, Aug. 9, 1897; 6th, Aug. 9, 1898; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., July 7, 1899; 1st lt., June 9, 1903; capt., Mar. 20, 1908.	. . . . .	2d corps cadets.	Marblehead, Mass.
Frank F. Ireland, Concord, capt., Jan. 23, 1912.	6th regt., I, Apr. 21, 1897; 2d, Apr. 21, 1900; 3d, Apr. 21, 1901; 4th, Apr. 21, 1904; 5th, Apr. 21, 1905; 6th, Apr. 21, 1906; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Nov. 26, 1906; 1st lt., June 24, 1907.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, May 6, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	Co. I, 6th regt. inf.	Concord, Mass.

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William B. Searns, Brook- line, capt., Mar. 20, 1912.	1st corps cadets, May 1, 1890; corp., Mar. 23, 1893; 2d, May 1, 1893; 3d, May 1, 1894, 4th, May 1, 1895; 5th, May 1, 1896; 6th, May 1, 1897; 7th, May 1, 1898; sgt., Oct. 24, 1898; 2d lt., Apr. 25, 1899; 1st lt., adj., Nov. 21, 1900.	1st corps cadets,	Boston, Mass.	
Conrad M. Gerlach, Brook- line, capt., Mar. 30, 1912.	1st regt. hvy. art., K, Jan. 24, 1898; 2d, Jan. 24, 1901; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Oct. 28, 1901; 1st lt., Jan. 20, 1908; 2d co., C. A. C., capt., July 27, 1908.	. . . . .	2d co., C. A. C.,	Boston, Mass.,	English High, Boston.
John Lavalley, Boston, capt., Apr. 3, 1912.	1st corps cadets, Sept. 7, 1887; dis., Apr. 19, 1890; 2d, Apr. 24, 1893; 3d, Apr. 24, 1896; 4th, Apr. 24, 1897; 5th, Apr. 24, 1898; 6th, Apr. 24, 1899; 7th, Apr. 24, 1900; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Feb. 12, 1901; 1st lt., May 9, 1903; capt., Feb. 11, 1908.	. . . . .	1st corps ca- dets.	Lima, Peru,	Mass. Inst. Tech.
Francis J. Ganaway, South Framingham, capt., May 14, 1912.	6th regt., E, Apr. 4, 1898; 2d, Apr. 4, 1901; 3d, Apr. 4, 1902; 4th, Apr. 4, 1903; 5th, Apr. 4, 1904; priv., corp., sgt., quar. mas. sgt.; 2d lt., May 24, 1904; 1st lt., June 5, 1908.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., E, May 13, 1898; unus. out, Jan. 21, 1899; priv.	Co. E, 6th regt. inf.	Waltham, Mass.	
Edward T. Graham, Salem, capt., May 21, 1912.	2d corps cadets, Aug. 24, 1888; 2d, Aug. 24, 1891; 3d, Aug. 24, 1894; 4th, Aug. 24, 1895; 5th, Aug. 24, 1896; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Sept. 16, 1898; 1st lt., July 7, 1899; capt., Nov. 6, 1903.	. . . . .	2d corps cadets,	Salem, Mass.	

Harry C. Moore, Hudson, capt., May 19, 1913.	5th regt., M, Jan. 20, 1891; 2d, Jan. 20, 1894; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., June 5, 1894; 1st lt., Sept. 18, 1894; res., Dec. 12, 1896; 3d, Dec. 12, 1896; 4th, Dec. 12, 1897; 5th, June 20, 1899; 6th, June 20, 1900; 7th, June 20, 1901; 1st lt., Dec. 16, 1901; capt., Dec. 20, 1904; res., Feb. 18, 1908; capt., Jan. 5, 1909.	.	.	.	.	.	Co. M, 5th regt. inf.	Hudson, Mass.
Frederic M. Kendall, South Framingham, capt., June 19, 1913.	6th regt., E, May 1, 1895; 2d, May 1, 1898; 3d, May 1, 1899; 4th, May 1, 1900; 2d lt., May 7, 1900; 1st lt., batt. adj., May 16, 1904.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., May 6, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899; sgt.	.	.	.	.	6th regt. inf.	Framingham, Mass.
Charles P. Vaughan, Peabody, capt., Sept. 26, 1913.	2d corps cadets, 1st lt., quar. mas., Sept. 8, 1903; capt., pay dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	.	.	.	.	.	Pay dept.,	New Portland, Me.
Delevan R. Nichols, Worcester, capt., Dec. 17, 1913.	6th regt., B, Oct. 9, 1893; trans. to C., 2d regt., Apr. 30, 1895; 2d, B, 1st batt. lgt. art., Oct. 9, 1896; 3d, Oct. 9, 1897; 4th, Oct. 28, 1898; 5th, Dec. 13, 1899; dis., Dec. 13, 1902; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., batt. adj., Apr. 16, 1903.	.	.	.	.	.	2d regt. inf.,	Putnam, Ct.
Nicholas J. Skerrett, Worcester, capt., Mar. 12, 1914.	9th regt., G, June 19, 1899; dis., June 19, 1902; mus.; 1st lt., quar. mas., 1st batt. field art., Mar. 15, 1907; 2d lt., batt. quar. mas. and com., Nov. 15, 1907.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., G, May 4, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; mus.	.	.	.	.	1st batt. field art.	Worcester, Mass.
Joseph P. Galvin, South Boston, capt., Sept. 29, 1914.	9th regt., E, May 11, 1894; 2d, May 11, 1897; 3d, Feb. 7, 1899; 4th, Feb. 7, 1900; 5th, Feb. 7, 1901; 6th, Feb. 7, 1902; 7th, Feb. 7, 1903; 8th, Feb. 7, 1904; 9th, Feb. 7, 1905; 10th, Feb. 7, 1906; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 1st lt., Apr. 24, 1906.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., E, May 11, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898; sgt.	.	.	.	.	Co. E, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.
Eustace L. Fiske, Fitchburg, capt., Nov. 12, 1914.	6th regt., asst. surg., 1st lt., Apr. 30, 1904; asst. surg., capt., May 17, 1907; capt., med. dept., Nov. 15, 1907.	Med. dept.,	Holliston, Mass.
								Harvard, Bur- bank Hospital.

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George H. Nee, South Boston, capt., Nov. 17, 1914.	21st U. S. inf., H., 1897 to Sept. 19, 1900; sgt., 18th U. S. inf., C., Aug. 30, 1905, to Aug. 29, 1908; 1st sgt.	9th regt. inf., .	Boston, Mass.	
Edgar A. Marshall, Marblehead, 1st lt., Feb. 6, 1899.	8th regt., C, June 14, 1894; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d, June 14, 1897; 1st lt., Nov. 29, 1897.	. . . . .	Co. C, 8th regt. inf.	Barton, N. S.	
H. Lincoln Chase, Brookline, 1st lt., July 26, 1899.	1st batt. lgt. art., July 10, 1887; hosp. steward; 1st lt., asst. surg., July 25, 1889; 5th regt., 1st lt., asst. surg., June 28, 1892.	. . . . .	5th regt. inf., .	Newton, Mass.,	Harvard, 1882.
Clarence A. Perkins, Malden, 1st lt., Oct. 9, 1905.	8th regt., L, June 2, 1883; 1st lt., Feb. 3, 1886; capt., June 6, 1887; eo. trans. to 5th regt., as L, Mar. 26, 1888; res., June 2, 1888; 2d, June 2, 1888; 3d, June 2, 1891; 4th, June 2, 1892; 5th, June 2, 1893; 6th, June 2, 1894; 7th, June 2, 1895; 8th, June 2, 1896; 9th, June 2, 1897; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Sept. 8, 1897.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., L, 2d lt., July 1, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	Co. L, 5th regt. inf.	Charlestown, Mass.	
John F. McInnes, South Boston, 1st lt., Oct. 22, 1906.	9th regt., I, Mar. 6, 1899; priv., corp.; 2d lt., Apr. 30, 1900.	9th Mass. inf., U. S. V., I, May 4, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 26, 1898.	Co. I, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.	
Alton R. Sedgely, Wakefield, 1st lt., May 21, 1907.	6th regt., A, Mar. 4, 1895; 2d, Mar. 4, 1898; 3d, Nov. 6, 1901; 2d lt., Feb. 24, 1902.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., A, May 13, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899; sgt.	Co. A, 6th regt. inf.	Freeman, Me.	

Cornelius J. Murphy, Dorchester, 1st lt., Jan. 9, 1908.	9th regt., E, July 14, 1890; trans. to non-com. staff, pay sgt., June 27, 1893; 2d, July 14, 1893; 3d, July 14, 1894; 4th, July 14, 1895; 5th, July 14, 1896, to July 14, 1897; 2d lt., E, Nov. 23, 1897.	.	.	.	.	Co. E, 9th regt. inf.	Boston, Mass.
Charles H. Groves, Hudson, 1st lt., May 5, 1908.	5th regt., M, June 11, 1888; 2d, June 27, 1892; 3d, June 27, 1893; 4th, June 27, 1894; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Sept. 18, 1894; 1st lt., Jan. 12, 1897; res., Apr. 20, 1897; 5th, July 8, 1897; dis., July 8, 1898; 6th, June 2, 1899; 2d lt., Feb. 27, 1900; 1st lt., Feb. 24, 1908.	.	.	.	.	Co. M, 5th regt. inf.	Saxtonville, Mass.
Alton L. French, Newtonville, 1st lt., Dec. 31, 1908.	1st regt., L, Sept. 18, 1895; 2d, 1st regt. hvy. art., L, Sept. 18, 1898; 3d, Sept. 18, 1899; 4th, Oct. 24, 1900; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., June 19, 1901.	1st Mass. hvy. art., U. S. V., L, May 9, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 14, 1898; corp.	.	.	.	11th co., coast art. corps.	Brockton, Mass.
Fred L. Whiting, Boston, 1st lt., Apr. 5, 1910.	5th regt., H, May 1, 1899; 2d, May 1, 1902; 3d, May 1, 1904; 2d lt., Oct. 24, 1904.	5th Mass. inf., U. S. V., H, June 24, 1898; mus. out, Mar. 31, 1899.	.	.	.	Co. H, 5th regt. inf.	Hyde Park, Mass.
David H. Bishop, Marlborough, 1st lt., June 29, 1911.	6th regt., F, Mar. 1, 1898; 2d, Apr. 18, 1901; 3d, Apr. 18, 1902; 4th, Apr. 18, 1903; 5th, May 10, 1904; 2d lt., Jan. 24, 1905.	6th Mass. inf., U. S. V., F, May 6, 1898; mus. out, Jan. 21, 1899.	.	.	.	Co. F, 6th regt. inf.	Dudley, Mass.
William W. Cann, Lynn, 1st lt., Jan. 31, 1912.	8th regt., D, Dec. 14, 1891; 2d, Dec. 14, 1894; 3d, Dec. 14, 1895; 4th, Dec. 14, 1896; 5th, Dec. 14, 1897; 32d co., prov. mil., 1st lt., Aug. 8, 1898; dis., Apr. 15, 1899; 6th, 8th regt., D, Apr. 15, 1899; 7th, Apr. 15, 1900; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Jan. 28, 1901; 1st lt., July 10, 1911.	Co. D, 8th regt. inf.	Danvers, Mass.

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William P. Boardman, Boston, 1st lt., May 28, 1914.	C. A. C., 8th Co., Dec. 19, 1900; 2d, Dec. 19, 1903; 4th, Jan. 4, 1905; 5th, Jan. 4, 1906; priv., corp., hosp. corps, amb. Co., Oct. 14, 1911; 1st class sgt.; 1st lt., med. corps, Oct. 14, 1911.	Med. dept., .	Boston, Mass.,	Harvard Medical.
John F. Williams, Waltham, 1st lt., June 8, 1914.	5th regt., F, Dec. 23, 1884; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., May 4, 1887; res., Mar. 28, 1888; 2d, May 17, 1892; trans. to A, 6th regt., Dec. 20, 1894; 3d, 5th regt., F, Jan. 18, 1896; 4th, 8th regt., D, Apr. 1, 1898, to Apr. 1, 1899; priv., corp., sgt.; 5th regt., F, 2d lt., July 19, 1900; 1st lt., Mar. 31, 1903.	8th Mass. inf., U. S. V., D, May 11, 1898; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899; sgt.	Co. F, 5th regt. inf.	Waltham, Mass.	
Ernest W. Draper, Hopedale, 1st lt., July 9, 1914.	6th regt., M, May 16, 1900; 2d, May 16, 1903; 3d, May 16, 1906; priv., corp., sgt.; 1st lt., June 10, 1907.	. . . . .	Co. M, 6th regt. inf.	Hopedale, Mass.	
William O'Brien, Adams, 1st lt., July 9, 1914.	2d inf., M, Nov. 18, 1887; 2d, Nov. 18, 1890; 3d, Nov. 18, 1891; 4th, Nov. 18, 1892; 5th, Nov. 18, 1893; 6th, Nov. 18, 1894; 7th, Nov. 18, 1895; 8th, Nov. 18, 1896; 9th, Nov. 18, 1897; 10th, Dec. 8, 1898; priv., corp., sgt., 1st sgt.; 2d lt., Jan. 30, 1899; dis., Mar. 23, 1899; 2d lt., Apr. 10, 1899; 1st lt., Apr. 2, 1900; dis., May 12, 1900; 11th, May 14, 1900; 12th, May 14, 1901; priv., corp., sgt.; 2d lt., Aug. 5, 1901.	2d Mass. inf., U. S. V., M, May 3, 1898; mus. out, Nov. 3, 1898; 1st sgt.	Co. M, 2d regt. inf.	Lanesborough, Mass.	

George W. Austin, Boston, 2d lt., July 9, 1914.	1st squad cav., troop A, Jan. 29, 1901; 2d, Jan. 29, 1904; 3d, Jan. 29, 1907; 4th, Jan. 29, 1910; trans. to non-com. staff, Feb. 3, 1911; priv., corp., sgt., sgt. maj.; 2d lt., quar. mas. and com., Apr. 9, 1912.	.	.	.	.	1st squad cav.,	Mansfield, Mass.
William F. Young, Lynn, 2d lt., Dec. 27, 1900. ¹	8th regt., D, Feb. 10, 1896; 2d lt., Mar. 15, 1897.	8th regt. inf., U. S. V., D, 2d lt., Apr. 28, 1898; 1st lt., H, Apr. 12, 1899; mus. out, Apr. 28, 1899.	.	.	.	Co. D, 8th regt. inf.	Weymouth, Mass.
Minot J. Savage, chaplain, Boston, May 29, 1896.	1st batt. art., June 18, 1875, to Apr. 28, 1876; 1st batt. cav., Aug. 14, 1876, to Jan. 11, 1882; 1st regt. inf., Nov. 1, 1883.	.	.	.	.	1st regt. inf.,	Norridgewock, Me.
Ellery C. Butler, Beverly, chaplain, Sept. 16, 1897.	8th regt., chaplain, Dec. 15, 1876; dis., Apr. 28, 1876; 2d corps cadets, Jan. 3, 1881.	.	.	.	.	2d corps cadets.	Salem, Mass.
William H. Rider, Gloucester, chaplain, Dec. 15, 1897.	5th regt., chaplain, Apr. 15, 1878; res., July 22, 1882; 1st batt. cav., chaplain, Apr. 15, 1884.	.	.	.	.	1st batt. cav.,	Provincetown, Mass.
James Lee, Revere, chaplain, Apr. 20, 1911.	Chaplain, July 1, 1884,	9th regt. inf.,	County Cork, Ire.
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John W. Weeks, West Newton, rear adm., Apr. 10, 1900.	Nav. brig., D, lt., Mar. 25, 1890; lt. comdr., Mar. 20, 1893; capt., Apr. 3, 1894.	Appointed cadet midshipman, May, 1877; midshipman, June, 1883; dis., July, 1883; U. S. N., lt., Apr. 23, 1898; dis., Oct. 28, 1898.	Nav. brig.,		Lancaster, N. H.		U. S. Nav. Acad., 4 years.

¹ Physical disability.

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George R. H. Buffinton, Fall River, rear adm., Sept. 1, 1907.	1st regt., M. Feb. 21, 1883, to June 6, 1885; 2d, nav. brig., F. Sept. 30, 1892; ensign, Dec. 11, 1894; lt., jr. grade, Apr. 16, 1895; lt., Jan. 10, 1898; lt. comdr., May 4, 1900; capt., Nov. 5, 1900.	U. S. N., lt., Apr. 23, 1898; U. S. S. "Prairie" and "Katahdin," hon. dis., Aug. 1, 1898.	Nav. brig.,	Fall River, Mass.	
James P. Parker, Jamaica Plain, commo., Dec. 18, 1911.	Nav. batt., C, Sept. 8, 1891; 2d, Sept. 8, 1894; 3d, Sept. 8, 1895; seaman, coxswain, quar. mas.; trans. to sig. corps, June 26, 1896; 4th, Sept. 8, 1896; lt., jr. grade, sig. officer, Mar. 6, 1897; lt., adj., Oct. 15, 1898; res., Sept. 17, 1900; lt., ord. officer, May 28, 1903; comdr., asst. insp. gen., Mass., Jan. 4, 1906; brig. gen., adj. gen., Mar. 15, 1907; retired as maj. gen., Jan. 1, 1908; capt., chief of naval bureau, June 12, 1908.	U. S. N., lt., jr. grade, May 9, 1898; dis., Sept. 16, 1898; coast sig. service.	Naval Bureau,	Hong Kong, China.	Harvard.
Charles H. Parker, Boston, capt., Dec. 26, 1911.	Nav. brig., C, Feb. 2, 1892; 2d, Feb. 2, 1895; seaman, quar. mas., gunner's mate; ensign, Oct. 20, 1896; lt., chief of co., Aug. 8, 1899; dis., Mar. 2, 1904; ret. as lt. comdr., Sept. 12, 1906; comdr., naval bureau, June 12, 1908.	U. S. N., ensign, May 14, 1898; lt., jr. grade, June 17, 1898; dis., Sept. 17, 1898; U. S. S. "Catskill," U. S. S. "Marcellus."	Naval Bureau,	Hong Kong, China.	

William B. Edgar, Fall River, capt., Apr. 2, 1912.	1st regt. inf., M. Nov. 6, 1879; 2d, Nov. 6, 1882; 3d, Nov. 6, 1884; 4th, Nov. 6, 1885; dis., Apr. 19, 1880; priv., corp., sgt.; nav. brig., F. lt., jr. grade, Sept. 30, 1892; lt., chief of co., Dec. 11, 1894; res., Dec. 24, 1897; 1, May 14, 1898; seaman; lt., chief of co., May 25, 1898; res., Nov. 3, 1899; 1, lt., jr. grade, Mar. 26, 1900; lt. comdr., July 30, 1900; comdr., asst. insp. gen., staff com-in-chief, Mar. 15, 1907; comdr., naval bureau, June 12, 1908.	U. S. N., ensign, July 2, 1898; dis., Sept. 23, 1898; U. S. S. "Catskill."	Naval Bureau,	Fall River, Mass.
John B. Blood, Newburyport, capt., July 6, 1912.	Nav. brig., E, Sept. 30, 1892; dis., Mar. 20, 1894; seaman, coxswain, gunner's mate; E, lt., jr. grade, Sept. 22, 1904; lt., Jan. 4, 1906; capt., naval bureau, Dec. 19, 1911; capt., ret., Apr. 4, 1912; lt. comdr., A. G. dept., May 14, 1912.	.	Naval Bureau,	Newburyport, Mass.
Arthur B. Denny, Brookline, comdr., Mar. 20, 1906.	Nav. batt., C, Jan. 26, 1892; chief boatswain's mate; ensign, Oct. 11, 1892; lt., jr. grade, Mar. 28, 1893; res., May 20, 1900.	U. S. N., lt., May 21, 1898; U. S. S. "Lehigh;" dis., Sept. 17, 1898.	Nav. brig.,	Auburndale, Mass.
George S. Selfridge, Boston, comdr., Dec. 5, 1906.	Nav. batt., D, ensign, Mar. 25, 1890; lt., jr. grade, Mar. 28, 1893; res., Jan. 15, 1890; lt., jr. grade, Mar. 8, 1896; lt., Oct. 16, 1900; res., Mar. 6, 1901.	U. S. N., lt., May 14, 1898; dis., Oct. 10, 1898; U. S. S. "Catskill."	Nav. brig.,	Portland, Me.
Gardner W. Allen, Boston, comdr., Dec. 11, 1906.	Nav. batt., C, Mar. 25, 1890; seaman, quar. mas., gunner's mate, boatswain's mate; ensign, Jan. 3, 1893; asst. surg., Mar. 22, 1893; surg., Apr. 25, 1894; res., Jan. 5, 1901.	U. S. N., passed asst. surg., Apr. 23, 1898, U. S. S. "Prairie;" dis., Sept. 28, 1898.	Nav. brig.,	Bangor, Me.
S. Virgil Merritt, Fall River, comdr., Mar. 7, 1908.	Nav. brig., F, Jan. 3, 1898; bayman; asst. surg., Oct. 11, 1898; surg., July 8, 1901.	U. S. N., asst. surg., May 21, 1898, to Sept. 3, 1898, U. S. S. "Lehigh."	Nav. brig.,	Phillipsburg, N. J.
				Fall River High; L. I. College Hospital.

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William M. Paul, Boston, lt. comdr., July 9, 1900.	Nav. brig., B, lt., Mar. 25, 1890; lt. comdr., Apr. 3, 1894.	U. S. N., 9 years; ensign, 1868; master, 1870; lt., Mar. 17, 1871; res., Mar. 23, 1871; U. S. N., lt., July 27, 1898; dis., Sept. 14, 1898, "Minnesota."	Nav. brig.,	Boston, Mass.,	U. S. N a v. Acad., 4 years.
Charles H. Brigham, Boston, lt. comdr., July 5, 1901.	1st batt. lt. art., A, Dec. 28, 1885; 2d, Dec. 28, 1888; dis., Dec. 28, 1889; corp., sgt.; nav. batt., B, Mar. 25, 1890; seaman; lt., jr. grade, Mar. 25, 1890; lt., June 27, 1899; retired as lt., July 5, 1901.	U. S. N., lt., jr. grade, Apr. 23, 1898; res., Sept. 28, 1898; U. S. S. "Prairie."	Co. B, n a v. brig.	Boston, Mass.,	English High, Boston; U. S. N. Torpedo Course, 1896.
A. Ernest Thomas, New Bedford, lt. comdr., Dec. 24, 1902.	Nav. brig., G, lt., jr. grade, Nov. 28, 1892; lt., Oct. 30, 1899; retired as lt., Dec. 24, 1902.	U. S. N., lt., jr. grade, July 2, 1898; dis., Oct. 10, 1898; U. S. S. "Governor Russell."	Co. G, n a v. brig.	New Bedford, Mass.	New Bedford High; Mass. Inst. Tech.
Louis E. Felton, Melrose, lt. comdr., Aug. 9, 1905.	5th regt., L, July 2, 1888; 2d, July 2, 1891; 3d, July 2, 1892; 4th, July 2, 1893; 5th, July 2, 1894; 6th, July 2, 1895; 7th, July 2, 1896; 8th, July 2, 1897; priv., corp., sgt.; trans. to nav. brig., D, Jan. 20, 1898; seaman; ensign, Apr. 18, 1899; lt., jr. grade, Oct. 16, 1900; dis., Aug. 9, 1901, dis. of co.; nav. brig., C, lt., jr. grade, Oct. 23, 1901; lt., May 25, 1904.	U. S. N., May 5, 1898; dis., Sept. 21, 1898; shipwright.	Co. C, n a v. brig.	Malden, Mass.	
Fred. H. Turnbull, Lynn, lt. comdr., Dec. 1, 1905.	Nav. brig., E, Oct. 17, 1895; 2d, Oct. 17, 1898; seaman, gunner's mate, boatswain's mate; ensign, Aug. 10, 1899; lt., jr. grade, Mar. 14, 1901; lt., Oct. 23, 1902.	U. S. N., May 5, 1898; dis., Sept. 15, 1898; U. S. S. "Catskill," gunner's mate.	Co. E, n a v. brig.	Newburgh, N. Y.	

Daniel H. Sughrue, Boston, lt. comdr., Apr. 3, 1906.	Nav. batt., B, Mar. 25, 1890; 2d, Mar. 25, 1893; quar. mas., gunner's mate; ensign, Apr. 17, 1894; lt., Sept. 26, 1899.	U. S. N., Apr. 23, 1898; ensign; dis., Sept. 29, 1898; U. S. S. "Prairie."	Co. A, nav. brig.	Charlestown, Mass.
Thomas S. Prouty, Boston, lt. comdr., May 22, 1906.	Nav. brig., C, Mar. 3, 1896, to Mar. 3, 1899; seaman, pay yeoman; lt., asst. pay mas., Aug. 30, 1900; lt., ordnance officer, Feb. 12, 1906.	U. S. N., pay yeoman, May 10, 1898; dis., Oct. 14, 1898.	Nav. brig.,	Boston, Mass.
George W. Gardiner, New Bedford, lt. comdr., Dec. 4, 1906.	Nav. brig., G, Nov. 28, 1892; lt., jr. grade, Nov. 28, 1892; lt., Mar. 2, 1896; dis., Oct. 12, 1899.	U. S. N., lt., May 14, 1898; dis., Sept. 28, 1898; U. S. S. "Cats- kill."	Co. G, nav. brig.	New Bedford, Mass.
Dennis F. Sughrue, Boston, lt. comdr., Apr. 11, 1907.	Nav. brig., asst. surg., lt., Jan. 8, 1901, .	. . . . .	Nav. brig.,	Yarmouth, Mass.
Miner W. Wilcox, New Bed- ford, lt. comdr., Apr. 16, 1913.	Nav. brig., F, Sept. 30, 1892; 2d, Sept. 30, 1895; 3d, Sept. 30, 1897; 4th, Sept. 30, 1898; dis., Feb. 28, 1899; seaman, quar. mas., boat- swain's mate; I, ensign, June 24, 1901; lt., jr. grade, June 1, 1904; lt., Mar. 13, 1907.	U. S. N., May 20, 1898; dis., Sept. 4, 1898; quar. mas., 3d class; quar. mas., 2d class; U. S. S. "Lehigh."	Co. I, nav. brig.,	New Bedford, Mass.
Harold S. Bowie, New Bed- ford, lt., Sept. 22, 1913.	18th co. prov. mil., June 30, 1898; dis., Apr. 15, 1899; sgt.; nav. brig., G, ensign, Nov. 3, 1902; lt., jr. grade, Jan. 21, 1903; lt., May 9, 1906.	. . . . .	Co. G, nav. brig.,	New Bedford, Mass.
Walter S. Barr, Springfield, lt., jr. grade, Mar. 23, 1903.	Nav. brig., H, ensign, Mar. 6, 1893, .	. . . . .	Co. H, nav. brig.	
John H. Marks, Roslindale, lt., jr. grade, July 10, 1913.	Nav. brig., eng. force, May 7, 1898; dis., Nov. 30, 1900; fireman; B, Oct. 24, 1904; seaman, coxswain; ensign, Mar. 21, 1906; ensign, Dec. 30, 1908.	U. S. N., June 3, 1898; dis., Jan. 6, 1899; machinist, 2d class; U. S. S. "Vulcan."	Co. A, nav. brig.,	Boston, Mass., English High, Boston; Mass. Nautical Train School, U. S. S. "Enterprise."

Discharges of Enlisted Men Other than by Expiration of Term of Service.

ORGANIZATION.	Pro- motion.	To enlist in U. S. Service.	By Order.	Totals.
Quartermaster's Department, . . .	1	—	1	2
Coast Artillery Corps,	6	13	255	274
Second Regiment Infantry,	5	31	162	198
Fifth Regiment Infantry,	4	16	183	203
Sixth Regiment Infantry,	4	15	193	212
Eighth Regiment Infantry,	5	19	236	260
Ninth Regiment Infantry,	6	16	214	236
Naval Brigade,	2	15	260	277
First Corps Cadets,	5	1	19	25
Second Corps Cadets,	1	3	42	46
First Battalion Field Artillery, . . .	2	3	58	63
First Squadron Cavalry,	4	2	65	71
Hospital Corps,	—	3	80	83
Signal Corps,	1	2	26	29
	46	139	1,794	1,979

Enrolled Militia of 1914, showing, by Counties, the Number of Persons between the Ages of Eighteen and Forty-five Years liable to Military Duty.

COUNTIES.	1914.	COUNTIES.	1914.
Barnstable,	3,212	Middlesex,	118,044
Berkshire,	18,978	Nantucket,	392
Bristol,	52,722	Norfolk,	26,527
Dukes,	458	Plymouth,	26,420
Essex,	78,367	Suffolk,	136,314
Franklin,	6,951	Worcester,	69,940
Hampden,	39,691	Total,	586,543
Hampshire,	8,527		

Summary of Mutations during 1914.

	Discharged.	Rejected by Board of Military Ex- aminers.	Rejected by Board of Medical Ex- aminers.	Died.	Totals.
Colonels,	1	—	—	—	1
Majors,	8	—	—	—	8
Captains,	11	1	—	—	12
First lieutenants,	17	—	1	1	19
Second lieutenants,	13	2	—	—	15
Chaplains,	1	—	—	—	1
Veterinarians,	1	—	—	—	1
Lieutenants, Naval Brigade,	2	—	—	—	2
Lieutenants, junior grade,	1	—	—	—	1
Ensigns,	3	—	—	—	3
Totals,	58	3	1	1	63

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